THE WEATHER TODAY
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STONE NOT IN SYMPATHY WITH TRAIN CONTROL

Says Engineer's Sense of Responsibility Would Be Greatly Lessened—Operators Against I. C. C. Order, Too

VERY DANGEROUS

Quick Application of Brakes Would Tend to Cause Buckling With Blocking of Adjacent Tracks, He Adds

Washington, May 7. — Railroad executives and operating officials were supported by Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, in opposing before the Interstate Commerce commission today its order for installation of automatic train control systems on portions of the principal railroads of the country.

Mr. Stone told the commission during the hearings on the order that installation of the automatic control system would be a menace, and that the dangers of the system would be incomparably greater than the present control by the engineer.

The principal objection, he said, lies in the danger that by mechanical application of the brakes, the train may buckle, throwing wreckage upon parallel tracks. A fast passenger train moving into the wreckage thus thrown upon an adjacent track would bring almost sure death to every person on it, he said.

Would Reduce Sense of Responsibility

Stone further declared that to take control of the train from the engineer would reduce the engineer's sense of responsibility. He charged that agitation for installation of the automatic control system was coming from promotors who have train control stock on sale.

Mr. Stone attributed a great many railroad fatalities to the present public demand for more speed, and said that dangers always will exist when engineers are forced to "push" their trains.

Only three per cent of railroad fatalities, Stone said, are caused by railroad collisions. He urged that the money be used to eliminate grade crossings.

[illegible] tury limited, Stone said was due primarily to the grade crossing and the fact that sections of the train were running within two minutes of each other made secondary errors in judgment on the part of train employes responsible.

Block Signal Development Favored.

A. H. Rudd, chief signal engineer of the Pennsylvania lines, told the commission that automatic control devices were only in the early stage of development, but that a magnetic system is now being developed which promises satisfactory results.

Samuel Rea, president of the Pennsylvania lines, testified that most railroad executives of the country do not believe in the principles of automatic train control, but favor developments of the automatic block signal.

Representatives of a score of automatic control devices will be called when the hearings are resumed Friday.

NEW YORK HEARD IN FAR PACIFIC

Music by Paul Whiteman's Orchestra Carried to Far Pacific —7300 Miles New Record

New York, May 7. — American Vice Consul Quincy F. Roberts, at Apia, Samoa, 7,300 miles from New York, reports reception of WEAF'S program from 7:18 p. m. to 7:50 p. [illegible] March 13, which was from 1:48 to 2:20 a. m. New York time. The special program of Paul Whiteman was being broadcast on this occasion. This is the first time that an uninterrupted program has been received from such distance over land and water. The equipment used by Vice Consul in charge, Roberts consisted of a single circuit regenerative receiver with two stages of audio frequency amplification. His antenna is a single inverted L, 80 feet high and 150 feet long.

Consul Roberts reports that E. E. Brownsdale, radio officer of West Samoa and superintendent of Apia radio, also heard the program, using one stage of audio frequency amplification.

There is six and a half hours time difference in the metropolis broadcasting station and the receiving point in the far Pacific. The previous long distance report at this point was the reception of a Chicago station 745 miles nearer.

ASSEMBLYMAN NOT GUILTY

Auburn, May 7. — Edwin J. Carpenter, former member of assembly from Steuben county, was found not guilty of driving an automobile while intoxicated by a jury in supreme court here today. In his defense, Mr. Carpenter, who had voted as a "dry" in the legislature, charged enemies had conspired to place liquor in his automobile unknown to him and that the arrest was a result of a "frame up."

Carpenter was arrested in Ithaca some time ago, but succeeded in having the trial moved to Cayuga county.

SAYS LANGLEY TOOK PART IN MEETINGS

Conferences Held, Witnesses Testify, to Iron Out Details of Whiskey Conspiracy

(By the Associated Press)

Covington, Ky., May 7. — Tales of conspiracy, coercion, and bribery involving the prohibition departments of two states and men prominent in politics in Kentucky were told today in federal court here in the trial of Congressman John W. Langley of Kentucky and four other defendants charged with conspiracy to defraud the United States government through the illegal removal of whiskey from a government warehouse in 1921.

Witnesses for the government related a number of "conferences" which took place in the month of September, October and November, 1921, at Lexington and Louisville. These meetings were arranged in advance, witnesses testified, and were for the purpose of discussing transportation of whiskey from the Belle of Anderson distillery at Lawrenceburg, Ky., to Philadelphia and other cities.

Congressman Langley attended most of the meetings, testimony shows.

As government witnesses confessed and members of the ring told of whiskey operations and implicated Langley, the congressman sat undisturbed with his counsel. Langley was paid big sums for his influence in securing permits, the alleged former associates of the congressman testified. When he needed money he appealed to men in Washington who worked in conjunction with whiskey dealers in this state and the money was given as "loans" not to be repaid if the congressman was successful in this particular piece of work, testimony revealed.

SMITH VETOES 5 PENSION BILLS

Charges Legislature Had Not Sufficiently Considered Measures in Final Days

Albany, May 7. — Charging that the legislature had not taken the time during the final days of the recent session to give sufficient consideration to the measures, Governor Smith tonight vetoed five bills relating to pensions for war veterans, policemen and firemen. Formulation of legislation of this character, he believed, should be within the jurisdiction of the state pension commission which would recommend changes only after proper study and investigation of the problem in the case.

Four other measures were vetoed by the governor during the day—the Schackno-Jenks bill intended to restore partisan nomination for municipal offices to cities which have commission or managerial forms of government; a measure which would have increased municipal court marshal's fees in New York city; a bill dealing with the state civil service retirement fund which duplicated another measure already approved by the governor; and a bill designed to amend the labor law with relation to planking over of floor beams in buildings under construction.

THAW'S MILLIONS WIN, SAYS EVELYN

Withdraws Objections to Efforts of Former Husband to Regain Freedom

Atlantic City, N. J., May 7. — "The Thaw millions are too much for a working girl to combat."

Such was the declaration here tonight of Evelyn Nesbit, cabaret entertainer, in announcing she had withdrawn her opposition to efforts of Harry K. Thaw to regain his freedom. He was recently declared sane by a jury in Canadian [illegible]. Miss Nesbit denied that any settlement had been made upon herself or upon her son, Russell.

Judge John Monaghan had set next Monday for argument on the appeal of a jury's decision which declared Stanford White's slayer sane. The application was made by William A. Gray of Philadelphia, counsel for Miss Nesbit.

"Announce to the world that Evelyn was never more fit to take care of herself, but Russell must be provided for under any circumstances," said Thaw's former wife.

SCORE INJURED BY BRONX TROLLEY RUNNING WILD

New York, May 7. — A score of persons were injured this evening when a Bronx surface car, out of control, dashed down the steep 135th street hill, crashed into a taxi and a touring car and ended its dash when it telescoped a car taking on passengers at the foot of the incline. The runaway car left behind it a string of injured for a quarter of a mile.

Although no one was fatally hurt, ambulances rushed to the scene and rushed a dozen persons to hospitals where they were treated for bruises and lacerations. Others were taken home by automobilists. The occupants of the wrecked touring car required medical attention as did the four occupants of the taxi cab, one of whom was said to be a brother of Eddie Cantor, comedian.

CASHIER SAID TO HAVE MADE A CONFESSION

Authorities Seek to Connect Him With Six Gunmen Who Recently Held Up Bank

REPORTED "GOOD SPENDER"

Private Detective Finds Him in New York Hotel—Said to Have Stolen Much Money

New York, May 7.—Nassau county officials said tonight they were investigating the possible connection of Charles M. Vanderoef, for seven years cashier of the First National bank of Bellmore, L. I., with six gunmen who raided and robbed the bank last April 4 and killed Ernest L. Whitman, a bond salesman.

Vanderoef, arrested by private detectives in a local hotel today, was said to have confessed that he had stolen from the bank's accounts for the past five years. The specific charge against him was the theft of $4,900. It did not include implication in the robbery and murder of a month ago, but District Attorney Weeks announced he already was investigating a possible link between the raid and the cashier's defalcation.

After the robbery, Vanderoef, who said he was motoring to New York at the time it was committed, announced the robbers had escaped with $9,000. Later this figure was reduced to $7,937. Government accountants who went over the bank's books today said the gunmen had escaped with but $3,000. Vanderoef had come to New York this afternoon on learning that the accountants were going over his books.

Said to Have Confessed Many Thefts.

"I knew my accounts were kind of tangled up," he said, "and I telephoned the bank officials where I was, and they sent a detective for me."

The $4,900 theft charge against Vanderoef was said to relate only to checking accounts. Bank officials said the cashier had confessed to the theft of many times that sum from the bank's saving accounts, and had succeeded in covering up the defalcations until today.

Vanderoef received a $3,200 annual salary and was said to have been a "good spender." He is 42 years old and has a wife and 15-year-old son. He formerly was assistant cashier of the Columbus Trust company in Newburgh.

WOULD ELIMINATE JAPS BY TREATY

Chamber of Commerce's Foreign Committee Wants 'Friendly Negotiation'

(By the Associated Press)

Cleveland, May 7. — Business men firmly gripped a theory problem of state today and gave expression to the view that American industry is without sympathy for Japanese exclusion by law.

A resolution expressing the sense of the committee meeting that "friendly negotiation" instead of congressional enactment should offer the approach to the solution of the Japanese immigration problem was unanimously adopted by the foreign commerce section of the 12th annual convention of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States.

Subject to approval of the board of directors, the declaration will be submitted to the final plenary session of the convention. Leaders in the convention anticipate ratification of the expression by a safe majority.

Introduced by Edward A. Filene of Boston and by three representatives of Pacific coast states, the resolution was unanimously adopted by approximately 400 members of the foreign commerce section.

RUSSIAN TEXTILE DIRECTORS ARE SENTENCED TO DEATH

(By the Associated Press)

Moscow, May 7. — Tshrdynzeff and Kalinin, directors of the State Textile Trust, the largest government textile syndicate in Russia, were sentenced to death after a trial lasting a week on charge of corruption, exploiting a state organization in their own interests, plotting with others to combat state capitalism in favor of private enterprise, and giving information secretly to former owners of textile factories who are now abroad.

Thirteen other convicted government officials, all former directors of large independent pre-war textile factories, were sentenced to various terms ranging from two to 10 years, of strict isolation, and confiscation of all their property.

WIND WRECKS VILLAGE.

Berlin, May 7. — A windstorm of cyclonic proportions wrecked Kleinbeuten, a village of 50 houses near Nordhausen, Saxony, says a dispatch received here today. The town is said to have been leveled as though by artillery fire. No fatalities are reported.

COBLESKILL DRUGGIST FREED.

Schoharie, May 7. — Charles G. Humphrey, Cobleskill druggist, arrested for violation of the Mullan-Gage law four days after it went into effect in 1921, was declared not guilty yesterday after a two-day trial. The jury disagreed at a former trial of the case.

BROUGHT ORDER OUT OF CHAOS, STATES CLEAR

Fleet Corporation Treasurer Says Securities, Drafts and Checks Spread Through Shipping Board Offices

NO RECORD KEPT

Official Adds He Concentrated All Securities—Over $900,000 in Uncancelled Checks Found, He Testifies

Washington, May 7. — Large amounts in securities, drafts and unpaid checks were spread promiscuously throughout the various offices of the Shipping board when he took office in 1921, T. L. Clear, treasurer of the Fleet corporation, testified today at the house Shipping board inquiry.

Prior to 1921, Mr. Clear asserted that there was no record kept of millions of dollars in trust funds advanced in bulk amount to managing operators of Shipping board vessels. A general canvass of all the offices was made, he said, and all securities were concentrated in the treasurer's office under his control.

Under questioning by Representative Lehlbach, Republican, New Jersey, Mr. Clear said over $900,000 in uncancelled checks drawn on the Fleet corporation had been found in the various offices of the corporation when he assumed office.

The witness said he did not know why the checks had not been deposited but discovered some of them had been held by request.

Recovered $34,000.

"I disregarded all requests," he asserted, "and put them in the bank. It created great consternation in banking circles here. I have collected all except $11,000 covered by two checks, and in these cases, the banks went into receivership long before I found the checks."

Mr. Clear said he had recovered $34,000 which was found to be due the Fleet corporation after canvassing all banks where deposits had been made and accounts closed.

The system of paying out sums in trust funds to operators was abolished by him, said the witness, and in its place a plan substituted whereby the expenses of the operations are met from drafts of the United States treasury.

Asked by Representative Bankhead, Democrat, Alabama, for recommendations as to operation of the government fleet, Mr. Clear said it was a "one-man job." The president of the Fleet corporation, he said, should not be answerable to the Shipping board.

DELAY BARING TRIAL

White Plains, May 7. — On motion of Charles E. Long, counsel for Clarence O. Baring, indicted here for the attempted murder of his wife by poisoning, Judge Bleakley today postponed the date of the trial from May 12 to May 22. Long asked for the delay to permit the taking of evidence in Norfolk, Va., which he said was important to his client and would prove that Baring had no intention of killing his wife or of leaving the country suddenly.

MURPHY'S WILL FOUND.

New York, May 7. — The will of Charles F. Murphy, late Tammany leader, was found today after his widow had received an order from Surrogate John F. O'Brien permitting her to look in three safe deposit boxes used by Murphy.

Arthur J. Falcwin, Mrs. Murphy's counsel, who made the announcement, did not state in which of the boxes, all of which were in different banks the will was found.

The Day in Washington

The senate took up the Jones proposal for a graduated corporation tax.

The Fairfield bill was reported to the house to provide independence for the Philippines after 20 years.

President Coolidge and Republican leaders discussed plans to clear the congressional calendar for adjournment in June.

Edward B. McLean, Washington publisher, and J. W. Zeverly, counsel for Harry F. Sinclair, were witnesses before the oil grand jury.

Ambassador Warren at Mexico City, was instructed to protect against interference by gunboats with American commerce at Frontera.

Protests were heard by the Interstate Commerce commission on proposals for the installation of the automatic train control system on railroads.

Conferees on the immigration bill decided to report a provision to make Japanese exclusion effective March 1, 1925, with the understanding the gentlemen's agreement would be abrogated.

James Martin Miller before the senate agriculture committee defended the accuracy of his telegrams quoting President Coolidge as saying he was "trying to deliver" Muscle Shoals to Henry Ford.

The senate Daugherty committee received a batch of new testimony, dealing with the activities of Howard Mannington and events leading to the indictment of Senator Wheeler, Democrat, Montana, committee prosecutor.

GRADUATED TAX ON UNDISTRIBUTED PROFITS IS VOTED

Would Replace Present Flat Corporation Levy of 12.5 Per Cent

NINE PER CENT NORMAL TAX

Starts at One-Fourth of One Per Cent Above 10 Per Cent—40 Per Cent Maximum

Washington, May 7. — The senate Republican insurgent, Democratic coalition voted another amendment into the revenue bill tonight, substituting a graduated tax on undistributed profits of corporations for the present flat corporation levy.

The vote was 43 to 32.

The amendment was put forward by Senator Jones, Democratic, New Mexico, and was endorsed at a conference of the minority party. President Coolidge had made known his opposition to the proposal and Republican organization leaders strenuously fought its adoption.

Six Republicans and Senators Magnus Johnson and Shipstead, the two Farmer-Labor members from Minnesota, joined Democrats in support of the proposition which was opposed only by Republicans. The six Republicans were Brookhart, Iowa; Howell, and Norris, Nebraska; Frazier and Ladd, North Dakota; and Norbeck, South Dakota.

Nine Percent Normal Tax.

The amendment would substitute for the present corporation tax of 12.5 per cent a schedule for a normal tax of nine per cent on all corporation earnings and a graduated scale to apply on undistributed profits of the corporations above 10 per cent. These rates would start at one-fourth of one per cent and graduate up on each additional one per cent of profit undistributed, to a maximum of 40 per cent which would apply on all profits above 60 per cent of those undistributed.

Senator Jones, author of the scheme, agreed to work out a plan to be offered later, to exepmt from a graduated scale corporations whose earnings did not exceed $10,000 or $15,000," at the suggestion of Senator Adams, Democrat, Colorado.

METHODISTS UNITE TWO BIG BRANCHES

Springfield Conference Ratifies Action, Amid Wild Applause of the Delegates

Springfield, Mass., May 7. — The unification of the Methodist Episcopal church with the Methodist Episcopal Church South, was ratified by the Methodist Episcopal general conference here today.

Amid wild applause, Bishop William Fraser McDowell of Washington concluded his speech on the report submitted by the special commission on unification. Dr. David G. Downey of New York moved that it be adopted and William A. C. Hughes, a Negro delegate from Washington, D. C., seconded the motion.

The council of bishops of the Methodist Episcopal Church South is in session at Nashville, Tenn., awaiting the conference's action, it was announced, and the vote will be communicated to the council at once.

The vote for adoption was 862 ayes to 13 noes. The votes did not fully with the number of delegates present and a second vote was ordered.

The final vote was 842 for adoption and 15 against.

On behalf of 350,000 Methodist negroes of the south, the Rev. Charles A. Tindley of Philadelphia, chairman of the Delaware delegation, voiced approval of the report. The others who spoke for adoption were William M. Blanchard of Greencastle, Ind., and former Governor James D. Black of Kentucky.

Southerners Enthusiastic.

Nashville, Tenn., May 7. — News announcing that the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church had voted for unification with the Southern Methodist church was received with enthusiasm by the bishops of the latter denomination and others attending a meeting of the board of missions today.

The college of bishops here will decide the matter of making a call for a special session of the general conference to act on the question.

KILLED WHEN AUTO DIVES INTO PIT; WIFE MAY DIE

Plattsburg, May 7. — Walter H. Grove, 43, of Essex, invalid son of Henry F. Grove of Germantown, Pa., millionaire former head of the Cramp shipyard, was instantly killed late this afternoon when an automobile operated by his wife, sidesaiped a bonnyful of children, crashed through a wire fence, and took a nose dive eight feet into a rock pit about two miles north of here on the Beekmantown road, just above Quaifey's corners.

Mrs. Grove is delirious at a local hospital with a possible fractured skull and, it is believed, a broken back. Miss Eleanor Colomb of Plattsburg, Grove's nurse, is suffering from shock and possible internal injuries. George Deville of Chazy, owner of the automobile, may lose his left eye from a gash across the forehead. None of the five children in the buggy was hurt.

SECOND TERM FOR BROOKLYN 'SHEIK'

Many Women He Swindled in Court When He Receives Five-Year Term

New York, May 7.—Frank Krohnengold of Brooklyn, who acted the role of "Sheik" in the guise of a doctor, was sentenced to Sing Sing prison for five years today in the presence of several women whom he swindled after promising to marry them. It will be the second prison term he has served as a "marriage swindler."

The prisoner, who is 23 years old, admitted he had obtained $25,000 from numerous victims.

The specific charge on which Krohnengold was sentenced today was one of grand larceny made by Norris Greiff, a retired drug manufacturer of Brooklyn, who declared he paid to the supposed physician $6,500 of the $10,000 which it was agreed Krohnengold was to receive as a dowry for marrying Greiff's daughter, Frances. Assistant District Attorney General Krunster said Greiff also paid to Krohnengold's father the sum of $2,000 supposed to represent money spent on the prospective bridegroom's education at the University of Chicago.

The money obtained from Greiff was used by Krohnengold in fitting up an elaborate laboratory in Manhattan, where he represented himself as a "doctor of naturapathy."

Krohnengold served a term in the Elmira reformatory for obtaining a dowry of $4,000 from Miss Bessie Belinsky, whom he married in 1922. She subsequently had the marriage annuled.

JAP EXCLUSION DATE ADVANCED

President Coolidge Succeeds in Having Conferees Set Date at March 1, 1925

Washington, May 7. — President Coolidge, by strenuous last-minute efforts today obtained from senate and house immigration conferees an agreement to recommend postponement of statutory Japanese exclusion until March 1, 1925. Such a postponement would give the state department opportunity to negotiate with Japan for exclusion by treaty.

Confronted with the prospect of exclusion July 1, next, as agreed to yesterday by conferees, the President held a number of hurried conferences with the result that the conference committee at a session late in the day rescinded their previous action and voted for the new effective date.

Insistence by the President for the delay in operation of the exclusion section was the reason given by the conferees for their unusual action. Senator Reed, Republican, Pennsylvania, as spokesman for the conference, said the new provision had been proposed by the house members "at the request of the President," and had been accepted by the senate members for that reason.

DISTRIBUTION OF FORTUNE INVOLVED

Man Murdered, Another Dies at About the Same Hour on Opposite Sides of Earth

(By the Associated Press)

New York, May 7. — New York attorneys today were working on one of the most unique cases on record—a case in which the disposition of a $500,000 estate depends upon which of two men, who met death on opposite sides of the globe at almost the same hour, was the first to die.

The estate is that of the late Captain Coleman of the San Francisco vigilantes of Argonaut days. His heirs were a son, Robert Louis Coleman, San Francisco financier, and a grandson, William T. Coleman of Monrovia, Calif.

The son, with George B. DeLong, New York broker, was slain by highwaymen in Albania last April 6, while on a tour of the world. On that same date the grandson died at his home in California. How the $500,000 estate shall be divided and whether descendants of the son or grandson shall receive the major share, depends upon which of the twain died first.

GERMAN MINERS QUIT

(By the Associated Press)

Berlin, May 7. — A general strike of miners in all the Rhenish Westphalian mines was called today after the mine owners had locked out the workers in about 65 per cent of the pits. The lockout was the reply of the mine owners to the refusal of the miners to work more than eight hours daily, and the general strike was the answer of the miners to the lockout. It was asserted the strike also was the first fruit of the Communist victory in the reichstag elections.

As the coal reserve in the Ruhr is small the strike soon will affect the other industries there.

FIRE STATION BURNS.

Hudson Falls, May 7.—The central fire station was destroyed by fire this morning. The firemen, sleeping in the upper rooms, were able to escape and succeeded in saving the fire horses and the motor fire fighting apparatus. The fire station was constructed of wood and was beyond saving before the firemen were aware. The cause has not been determined.

MORE TALES OF LIQUOR DEALS BEING RELATED

Kraffmiller, Co-Tenant With Mannington of 'Little Green House' Tells Daugherty Probers of Money Payments

IDENTIFIES CHECKS

Witness Says Some of Photostatic Copies Either Made by Him or Passed Under His Knowledge to Mannington

Washington, May 7. — A sudden return to the more lurid field of its inquiry was made today by the senate Daugherty investigating committee.

M. S. Kraffmiller, co-tenant with Howard Mannington of the "little greeff house on K street" in Washington during the early months of the Harding administration, came unheralded to the stand, to tell of money payments, liquor deals, and liquor permits, all based on the "closeness" Mannington was alleged to have been to former Attorney General Daugherty, while W. J. Burns, chief of the bureau of investigation of the department of justice introduced a fighting phase to the inquiry during examination as to the Montana indictments against Senator Wheeler, the Democratic prosecutor for the committee, in a half-hour of sharp questions and answers.

Witness Identifies Checks.

A sheaf of checks and a batch of photostatic reproductions of other checks, came into the Kraffmiller examination and the witness identified some of them as having been made by him or passed under his knowledge to Mannington. He testified that he came to Washington upon the Harding inauguration to live with Mannington, as a sequel to an acquaintanceship which began in 1920, when he gave Mannington, then at Marion, O., some $12,000 or $15,000 to defray costs of President Harding's front porch campaign.

In Washington, Kraffmiller said, he paid Mannington $15,000 out of $20,000 paid by the General Drug company of Chicago for liquor permits and $25,000 furnished by J. B. Shever company of the same city for the same purpose.

Kept One of Means.

Mannington, at whose home he saw George Christian, then secretary to President Harding, Comptroller of the Currency Crissinger, Jess W. Smith, the late companion of Mr. Daugherty, who would not "let him in" on deals in New York "affecting liquor permits," Kraffmiller testified.

They did share, however, fees paid by other concerns for representation in tax controversies and Shipping board claims, and Fred A. Caskey, another resident of the "little green house," got some portion of the money, as legal fees. The witness named various individuals, including Will Orr, as having said that Mannington went to "Louisiana and then Mexico" when indictments were brought against Orr.

Mr. Burns testified that Gaston B. Means, now agent of the committee, was being "shadowed" by his instructions, at the request of federal prosecutors in New York, but denied that Bonner, the secret agent assigned to the work, had made away with the diaries and documents whose loss Means reported some days ago.

TELLS OF BOOTLEG RING ABOARD SHIP

Former Storekeeper Tells of Leather Jackets Which Concealed 10 Quarts

New York, May 7. — Stewards and storekeepers of the steamship Orduna who wore specially designed leather jackets capable of holding 10 quarts of liquor without betraying their wearers, smuggled 184 bottles of various liquors of New York bootleggers on one voyage from Hamburg to New York, Edward Collins, formerly third storekeeper on the ship, testified today. Collins was brought from England to give his testimony at the resumption of the libel proceedings brought by the government against the steamer.

The witness said he had joined the bootlegging ring made up of stewards and storekeepers of the ship, receiving a promise of five per cent of profits. They bought the liquor at Hamburg and got it safely ashore in New York, selling it for $6,000, but all he received was a five-pound note.

He said he had written to the officers of the company describing conditions but the letters were ignored.

REVOLUTIONARY DIRECTORS

New York, May 7. — G. W. Slocum of Milton, Pa., president of the Dairymen's League Co-operative association, was unanimously renominated today for director of that organization. Other directors renominated were Chester Young, Nunnewich; Fred H. Sexauer, Auburn; H. J. Kaufman, Shinhorne; John Rosenbeth, Buffalo; Herbert L. Beahy, Academic Corners, Pa.; Paul Smith, Newark Valley; and Henry Borden, Cazenovia. The nominations were made at district conventions and the names forwarded to headquarters here.

Baseball

AND OTHER INTERESTING EVENTS IN THE SPORT WORLD

NATIONAL LEAGUE

DODGERS' STREAK BROKEN

Marquard Allows Eight Scattered Hits, Boston Winning, 4 to 1.

Brooklyn, May 7.—Rube Marquard checked the winning streak of the Dodgers today, holding them to eight [illegible] to 1. The Braves fielded brilliantly behind the veteran southpaw, four double plays pulling him out of trouble on as many occasions. Yarrison was knocked out of the box in the third inning, after which Henry and Decature held Boston scoreless.

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Boston	013 000 000	4	13	0
Brooklyn	001 000 000	1	8	2

Batteries — Marquard and Smith; Yarrison, Henry and Taylor.

GIANTS WIN IN 10TH

Error of Judgment by Wrohrs, Phillies' Third Sacker, Allows Winning Tally.

Philadelphia, May 7. — New York was forced to go 10 innings to beat Philadelphia today, 4 to 2. An error of judgment on the part of Third Baseman Wrohrs was responsible for Kelly scoring the winning run for the Giants.

New York	000 200 000 2	4	7	1
Philadelphia	000 020 000 0	2	7	1

Batteries — Barnes, Ryan and Snyder, Gowdy; Hubbell and Henline.

CUBS EVEN SERIES

Five Pirate Hurlers Fail to Stem Tide of Chicago Victory.

Pittsburgh, May 7. — Five Pittsburgh pitchers were unable to stop the slugging Cubs and Chicago evened the series by taking today's game, 6 to 1. Kaufmann pitched a brilliant game but was especially effective with men on bases.

Chicago	000 010 001	5	14	0
Pittsburgh	000 001 000	1	8	2

Batteries — Kaufmann and O'Farrell; Cooper, Adams, Stone, Steineder, Lundgrin and Gooch.

Cincinnati-St. Louis, rain.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE

Newark, 1-8-0; Syracuse, 0-2-0.
Baltimore, 8,10-2; Toronto, 6-8-0 (1st game).
Baltimore, 0-2-0; Toronto, 5-4-1 (2nd game, 7 innings).
Jersey City-Buffalo, forfeited to Buffalo, 9 to 0 (1st game).
Jersey City, 8-14-0; Buffalo, 1-7-0 (2nd game).
Reading, 8-17-5; Rochester, 6-11-0.

EASTERN LEAGUE

Albany, 4-7-0; Bridgeport, 2-10-2.
Worcester, 1-8-2; Hartford, 5-9-0.
Pittsfield, 2-8-3; Springfield, 2-7-0.
New Haven, 1-5-1; Waterbury, 7-10-1.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION

Columbus, 5-6-2; St. Paul, 12-10-2.
Toledo, 2-13-1; Minneapolis, 5-8-2.
Indianapolis, 3-5-0; Kansas City, 6-13-0.
Louisville-Milwaukee, wet grounds.

COLLEGE BASEBALL

Tufts 8, Connecticut Aggies 4.
Harvard 6, Bowdoin 3.
Fordham 9, Muhlenberg 3.
Holy Cross 3, Princton 2 (14 innings).
Brown 1, Yale 0.
Colgate 6, St. Lawrence 0.
Syracuse 4, Army 3.

NEW YORK-PA. LEAGUE

Harrisburg 10, York 4.
Elmira 6, Williamsport 5.
Scranton 8, Wilkes-Barre 1.
Utica 9, Triple Cities 8 (11 innings).

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

National League.

	W	L	P.C.
New York	14	5	.737
Cincinnati	13	6	.684
Chicago	12	10	.545
Brooklyn	10	9	.526
Pittsburgh	10	11	.476
Boston	6	10	.375
Philadelphia	5	11	.313
St. Louis	5	13	.278

American League.

	W	L	P.C.
New York	13	6	.684
Detroit	11	8	.579
Boston	8	8	.529
Chicago	9	9	.500
St. Louis	10	10	.500
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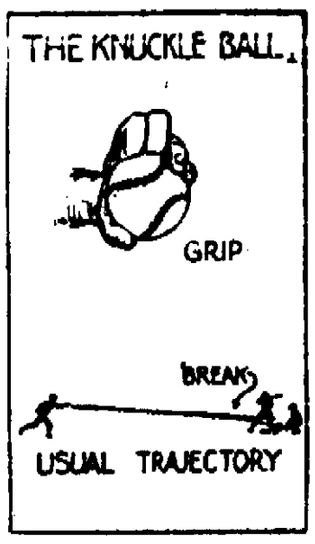
Cleveland	7	10	.412
Philadelphia	6	12	.333

"Wild Bull" Rampant in Home Field

At Tulsa, within the event, other big-present bouts in South [illegible] with Luis Angel Firpo. This fight picture from the originals [illegible]

Baseball

AS BIG LEAGUERS PLAY IT



What is the use of the knuckle ball and how it is pitched?

Answered by
HERMAN PILLETTE.

Pitcher, Detroit Tigers. Led the American league in 1922 for games won.

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The knuckle ball is used chiefly when endeavoring to strike out the batter, as it breaks sharply down when pitched low. It is held mainly by the thumb and third finger, the first and second fingers being turned in, gripping the ball with the knuckle, and is pitched with an overhand delivery. The ball leaves the hand without rotating, which causes the break. Some pitchers dig the knuckles into the seam—others do not.

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SCHEDULE OF TODAY'S GAMES

American League.

St. Louis at Cleveland.
Detroit at Chicago.
Washington at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.

National League.

Boston at Brooklyn.
New York at Philadelphia.
Chicago at Pittsburgh.
Cincinnati at St. Louis.

Darkness Halts Inter-Class Game.

The freshmen and sophomores ended their game yesterday in a 6 to 6 tie when darkness went to bat at the conclusion of the ninth round. Pitchers [illegible] moved from the game in the third inning on account of illness. Ellery McGuinness replaced him and hurled good ball up to the end. The younger team also was without the services of Feeney, first baseman. Delaney and Ellery McGuinness featured at bat. These two teams will meet again Friday afternoon.

Score by innings:

		R
Sophomores	003 012 000	6
Freshmen	211 002 000	6

Batteries — Glenn and Brown; Mulford, E. McGuinness and Carr.

High School Runners at Rensselaer.

Coach A. E. Risedorph and Bauerle, H. Knapp, C. Knapp and F. Puccio, members of the Oneonta High school track team, leave tomorrow evening for Troy where on Saturday the lads will participate in the invitation interscholastic track meet to be held under the auspices of the Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. The preliminaries will be run off in the forenoon and the finals in the afternoon.

GAS COMPANY WOULD EXPAND

Albany, May 7. — Permission to extend the electric service lines of the New York State Gas and Electric corporation of Ithaca was sought in a petition filed Tuesday with the Public Service commission. The Ithaca concern, which recently took over control and service of a number of smaller firms in southern and southeastern New York state, today asked authority to construct and operate an electric distribution system to serve residents of the towns of Brookfield, Madison county; Cherry Valley, Westford and Maryland, Otsego county; New Berlin, Chenango county; and Pine Plains, Ulster county. The company said it already had the consent of trustees of the various towns.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

TERRIFIC SLUGGING WINS

Mackmen Forced to Most Defeat for Ninth Consecutive Game.

New York, May 7. — Terrific slugging gave the New York Yankees a third straight victory over Philadelphia today, 7 to 4. It was the ninth consecutive defeat for the Athletics. Pennock pitched a strong game until the closing innings when he had to be rescued by Hoyt. Shortstop Galloway turned his ankle, after making a sensational stop and was replaced by Ricondа.

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Philadelphia	000 000 310	4	13	2
New York	201 121 00x	7	15	0

Batteries — Naylor, Walberg, Ogden and Perkins; Pennock, Hoyt and Schang.

ANOTHER STREAK CONCLUDED

Washington's 11th Inning Victory Halts Red Sox List of Consecutive Victories.

Boston, May 7. — Boston ended its winning streak today when Washington won an 11-inning game, 5 to 4. The deciding run came on singles by Judge and Ruel, Prothro's infield out and a wild pitch into the dirt by Jack Quinn. Lee's fielding and three Washington double plays were features.

Washington	012 000 001 01	5	13	0
Boston	000 210 010 00	4	9	1

Batteries — Mogridge and Ruel; Quinn and O'Neill.

BROWNS WIN SLUGGING BEE

Browns Get Six Runs in First and Cleveland Duplicates Feat in Second.

Cleveland, May 7. — St. Louis defeated Cleveland today, 10 to 8, after St. Louis drove Coveleskie from the box and scored six runs in the first inning. Cleveland tied it up in the second and went to the front in the third, only to let the Browns take the lead again in the fifth when Levsen was driven from the rubber. Jack Jacobson made five hits in five times up.

St. Louis	600 040 000	10	16	0
Cleveland	061 000 100	8	13	2

Batteries—Shocker, Voight, Pruett, Bayne and Collins; Coveleskie, Morton, Levsen, Edmondson, Drake and Mayt, Walters.

Detroit-Chicago, rain.

TODAY'S EVENTS BY WIRELESS

Programs Announced from Prominent Broadcasting Stations.

WGY — (Schenectady) — 380 Meters.
11:30 a. m.—Stock market report.
11:40 a. m.—Produce market report.
11:45 a. m.—Weather report.
11:55 a. m.—Time signals.
1:00 p. m.—Music and one-act play.
5:00 p. m.—Market and news bulletins.
7:45 p. m.—Musical program.

WEAF — (New York) — 492 Meters.
10:00 a. m.—Sport talk.
3:00 p. m.—Bruce L. Young, tenor, Isaac Lubomirski, violinist, Clarence Jones and his orchestra.
6:00 p. m. — Mid-week church service. Sport talk. Atlas Portland Cement Co. Mixed quartet. Talk by Bank of America. Hunter College musical program. Chamber music. Vincent Lopez and his orchestra.

WJZ — (New York) — 455 Meters.
12:00 m.—Hotel Pennsylvania orchestra. Board of Education program.
2:00 p. m.—Wanamaker Auditorium concert. Baseball scores every 15 minutes. Fashion talk. "The Romance of Fish Marketing." "Proper Nutrition for Children." Fashion talk. Emeline Basse, soprano.
6:00 p. m.—Jack Rabbit Stories. "Financial Developments of the Day." "Stamps." E. B. Power. "Problems of Crime," by Dr. Henry P. Fairchild.
7:30 p. m.—Wanamaker Organ recital. "Current History." Vocal numbers.
9:00 p. m.—"How to Do the European Art Galleries," by Miss M. Rose Collins.
9:20 p. m.—Hotel Majestic dance orchestra.

WJY — (New York) — 405 Meters.
6:20 p. m.—Karl M. Wehinger, "Talk."
6:45 p. m.—Max Kalfus, tenor; Paul Hasenzler, composer, pianist.
7:00 p. m.—"Golf," by Innis Brown. Gas & Electric Choral Society concert.
8:30 p. m.—Ninth Annual Meeting and Navy Dinner of National Security League; speakers, Secretary of the Navy Curtis D. Wilbur, Theodore Roosevelt, Jr.

WRC — Washington, D. C.) — 469 Meters.
6:00 p. m. Children's Stories, by Peggy Albion.
7:30 p. m.—The Better 'Ole orchestra. Talk on Motoring. Lucian Marsh, baritone. L'Aiglon orchestra. Elizabeth Darton, lyric soprano. "The Question Box."

WFI — (Philadelphia, Pa.) — 395 Meters.
1:00 p. m. Stratford Hotel orchestra.
3:00 p. m.—"The League of Women Voters in Action at Buffalo."
6:00 p. m.—"Sunny Jim."
6:30 p. m.—Stratford Hotel orchestra and Baseball scores.
7:00 p. m.—Michael Fantiant and his orchestra. Boy Scout program.
8:30 p. m.—Recital.
Silent night after 9 o'clock.

KDKA — (East Pittsburgh) — 326 Meters.
11:15 a. m.—Organ recital.
3:30 p. m.—KDKA Little Symphony orchestra.
6:30 p. m.—"King Midas."
10:30 p. m.—Concert by talent from Nixon theatre, Pittsburgh.

WWZ — (Springfield, Mass.) — 337 Meters.
3:00 p. m.—Leo Reisman ensemble.
6:00 p. m.—Lecture on Live Stock and Meat Industry.
6:30 p. m.—Bedtime story.
7:00 p. m.—Symphony music.
10:00 p. m.—Summary of day's events at General Conference of Methodist Episcopal church.

WGI — (Medford, Mass.) — 360 Meters.
7:30 p. m. Talk by Geoffry L. Whalen. Musicale. Popular song hits.

WOC — (Davenport, Iowa) — 484 Meters.
1:00 p. m. Chimes concert.
1:30 p. m.—Educational program.
7:30 p. m.—Sandman's Visit.
8:00 p. m.—Educational lecture.

STEAMER TURNS OVER AND SINKS; THREE MEN DEAD

Sandusky, O., May 7. — Three men lost their lives when the sand steamer Protection turned over and sank almost immediately in Sandusky bay Tuesday afternoon.

The dead are: W. P. Pettie, engineer, Norman Carroll, fireman, and Peter Heminger, deckhand.

Other members of the crew were picked up.

Captain David Robb said he was unable to account for the cause of the tragedy. There was a heavy sea outside the harbor, he said.

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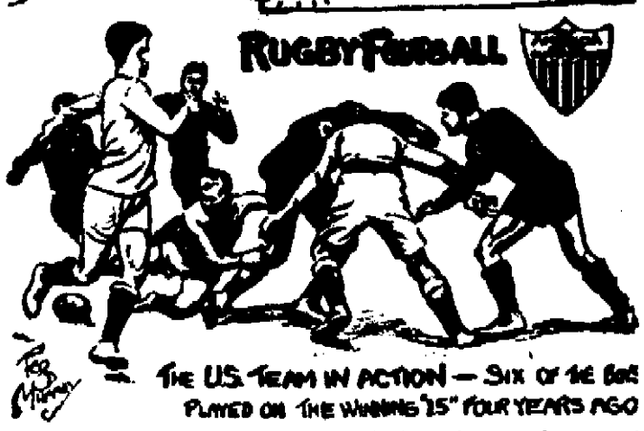
They Deserve to Win

By Fog Murray



The U. S. Rugby team is ready for Roumania, their first opponent in the Olympic games football competition. If this group of men again wins the world's championship for Uncle Sam it will be a most remarkable performance, because they will have to do it at the expense of countries whose game is Rugby. Rugby football was played by nearly all the colleges and high schools of the Pacific coast for about ten years, to the exclusion of American intercollegiate football. Very little Rugby has been played since the war, however, and much credit is due the eighty-odd men and boys who practiced all winter and spring to develop the team which finally went across. Six of this year's team helped win the Olympic championship in 1920, which so surprised the European football fans. One of these men is John O'Neill of Santa Clara college and lately of Great Falls, Montana. O'Neill is the man who put up the last $100,000 for the Dempsey-Gibbons fight.

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SOUTHLAND SEASON ONLY FOR TRAINING

Conditioning Trip Is Not for Making Money.

That the baseball managers are becoming wiser is the opinion of the writer, comments Henry P. Edwards in the Cleveland Plain Dealer who recently finished his seventeenth training trip. In the old days the magnates and managers preferred sending their teams to big towns, where they could "get the money" by means of exhibition games. They overlooked the fact that those big towns were filled with various forms of amusement which could not be considered helpful in a physical way.

But now they are discovering that the little cash to be taken in on training trips is not to be considered half as much as the condition in which their players are when the campaign opens. That's the reason nearly every little city in Florida now is acting as host to a major or minor league baseball club from the North, and why more are coming next year.

Place a big league club in a town like Lakeland, Sarasota, Bradentown or Winter Haven, and when the workout is over, the player has taken his bath and had his lunch, he is not going to rush to a movie or a billiard hall or organize a card game to last several hours. Instead, he is going to remain out in the open, playing golf, fishing, walking or motoring or, if too tired for further exertion, take a seat on a sunny veranda.

The practice sessions, however, are about the same. They have varied but little, most of the managers agreeing that the three weeks or a month spent in the training camp should be devoted to conditioning, with the "inside stuff" or "skull practice" left for development after the campaign opens. But little can be discovered in the first week's session in camp. A veritable Walter Johnson might look like a hopeless rookie, while the rawest rookie might resemble a Walter Johnson, a Speaker or a Sisler.

It is the raw recruit that tries to show everything the first few days; it is the player of the type of Johnson, Speaker or Sisler who realizes the opening of the season is six weeks away and goes slow. In fact, it often is the case that the player who shows the most the first few days in the training camp is the first to go, while the backward athletic may prove to be the find of the season.

HIGH SCHOOL BASEBALL

Team Opens Season at Unadilla on Friday—Oneonta Giants Assist in Coaching Boys.

The Oneonta High school baseball team, the first to represent the school in several years, will open the season tomorrow at Unadilla with the strong Unadilla High school team. The local lads have been practicing strenuously during the past few weeks and it is expected that they will make a very creditable showing.

Coach Risedorph has been fortunate in having been able to secure the co-operation of Scanlon, Wilcox, Einstack and Boylan, all members of the Oneonta Giants, and these veterans have been giving much of their time to the boys during the past few days. Scanlon has acted as head coach and under his tutelage and that of the other men the team has rapidly rounded into shape.

Coach Risedorph will take the following men to Unadilla tomorrow: Daley and Walkins, catchers; Simpkins, Brady, Kerwin, Shaw and McGuiness, pitchers; Keen, first base; Molinari and Kane, second base; Leamy, shortstop; Orr, third base, Fowlston, Hamilton, Kerr, Timko, outfielders.

On Saturday the home season will begin at Neahwa park with a game with Cooperstown High school. Cooperstown played its first game last week, exhibiting considerable power both in the field and at bat.

"Terrible" Thompson Signs

Fred Thompson, obtained by the St. Louis Cardinals from the Lincoln club of the Nebraska State league for trial in the spring is "Terrible" Thompson, the former University of Nebraska football star and line smasher. In baseball he has made some reputation as a catcher and it is in that position he will get a trial with the Cardinals. He played professional football last fall with an Omaha team.

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Otsego County News

SEVERELY BURNED

Julian F. Hubbard Enveloped in Flames Which Seem to Burst All Over Near End of Auto Truck He Was Loading — Chauffeur Slightly Burned in Attempting to Extinguish Flames.

Schenevus, May 7. — While filling the Huddleston bakery auto truck from Cherry Valley in front of his hardware store on Main street Wednesday shortly after 10 o'clock, Julian F. Hubbard was very severely burned. In some unexplainable manner when removing the gas hose from the auto tank everything seemed to burst into flames and Mr. Hubbard's clothing caught fire. Hurrying into his store he endeavored to wrap a large woolen horse blanket about his legs. The driver of the truck quickly went to his assistance and fire extinguishers used by D. Stanley Chase quickly reduced the blaze around the gasoline tank. Mr. Hubbard, however, had been very painfully burned. His hands and groin, where the burns are most severe, were dressed by Dr. F. E. Bolt of Worcester, who chanced to be in Schenevus at the time of the accident and rendered all aid possible as quickly as he was summoned. Mr. Hubbard's face and chest were also scorched, as were his mustache and eyebrows. The driver of the truck also had his hair singed. Whether this occurred in going to the assistance of Mr. Hubbard or while on the truck does not seem to be clearly known. It will be some time before Mr. Hubbard will have the use of his hands, although it is hoped the inner tissues have not been affected.

School Officers Elected.

Officers elected at the school meeting for district No. 14, in the town of Maryland, are as follows: Jay Alcott, trustee; Thomas Jeffers, collector; Leslie Fink, clerk.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. Orrin Aken and son, Richmond, of Brooklyn, were guests of Mrs. Jennie Belyea over the week-end. Mrs. Aken is now spending the week with relatives in Springfield Center and Portlandville and her son is attending school here while remaining with his grandmother.—Norman Cornish and Douglas Cornish of Milford visited their uncle, C. A. Doolittle, Sunday.

Holy Spirit Church Reopens.

Services at the Church of the Holy Spirit will be held at 3 p. m. Sunday, May 11. The church has been closed several years and we hope everyone will come. All are welcome. Bishop Co-adjuctor George Ashton Oldham will be present, assisted by Rev. L. C. Denney of Oneonta.

EAST WORCESTER RECEPTION

Many Friends Greet Rev. J. C. Johnson of Methodist Church.

East Worcester, May 7. — Last Friday evening a reception was given Rev. J. C. Johnson at the Methodist parsonage. A program of music and readings was enjoyed. Delicious refreshments were served and the evening was pleasing to all.

Home Economics Meet.

The Home Economics club met last Wednesday in its rooms. The next meeting will be held May 15, and at this time Mrs. Porter Hadsell of Worcester will give useful information concerning clothing. Everybody is welcome.

Bake Sale Saturday.

There will be a bake sale Saturday afternoon of this week at Boorn's store for the benefit of the Home bureau.

All Papers Accepted.

Principal G. E. Kenny has received final favorable reports from Albany concerning the January Regents, all papers sent being accepted.

A Generous Donation.

Through the effects of Floyd Flogaus the sum of $50 was raised to help defray the expenses of W. A. Denney's sickness. It is pleasant to know that Mr. Denney is improving.

Social at Grange Hall.

There will be a social at Grange hall Friday evening, for the benefit of the school athletic association, come and help the young people.

Fractures Bones of Leg.

Ivan Silvernail, a former student in our High school, had the misfortune to break one leg below the knee last week. He was attempting a home run in baseball and broke his leg while sliding home.

Crossing Progresses.

The work on the state road overhead crossing is progressing rapidly. The detour on which the men have been working is now ready for use.

Trustees Reelected.

At the annual school meeting, held last Tuesday, L. A. Thurber and Jesse Babcock were reelected trustees.

East Worcester Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Blanchard and Mrs. Adrian Blanchard of Oneonta, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Couse of Kingston were callers at the Methodist Episcopal parsonage Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. John Ferguson and Miss Adele Wolte of Schenectady, Miss Wilma Oswald and Samuel Oswald, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Murray of New York were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Howe. — Mrs. N. O. Farnum of Newark, N. J., is spending some time with her mother, Mrs. R. E. Howe. — Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Payne and Mrs. Hattie Baldwin were business callers in Cooperstown one day last week. — Mr. and Mrs. E. Vroman, who recently arrived from Florida, called on Hattie Baldwin one day last week. Mr. and Mrs. Vroman motored through from Florida. — Miss Vivian McMorris was at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John McMorris, over the week-end. — Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hayden of Sidney, former residents of this place, have been calling on friends. — Miss Florence Rose, principal of the East End school of Oneonta, and John Lawler, vice principal of the Oneonta High school, were callers at our school last Friday. — The teachers for the following year have been hired. Howard Winslow of Canton is to succeed George E. Kenny, who goes to Philadelphia, N. Y. — Miss Janette Dyckman of Jefferson succeeds Miss Margaret Hansen, who has had the 7th and 8th grades. — Miss Corbin of Roxbury succeeds Miss Rose Johnson, who has had the intermediate department. — Miss Ingalls of Oneonta succeeds Miss Frances Cobb, who has had charge of the primary work. — Miss Cobb and Miss Johnson have positions in Binghamton, for the coming year.—Mrs. Geo. Chamberlain of Schenevus will remain our preceptress for the coming year.

CHARLES COON OF UNADILLA.

Well-Known Citizen Dies Tuesday—Funeral This Afternoon.

Unadilla, May 7. — Charles Coon died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jane Arkell, Tuesday afternoon, May 6. He was the son of Peter and Eleanor Coon and was born in the town of Butternuts March 10, 1857. Mr. Coon was married to Mary Darling of Unadilla in November, 1888. Mrs. Coon died about three years ago.

The funeral will be held at the home of Mrs. Arkell on Martin Brook street Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. Yale Lyon will officiate. Interment will be in St. Matthew's cemetery.

Mr. Coon has lived in Unadilla village about 40 years and has won the respect of everybody, because of his honorable dealings, his reliability and perfect honest. He was a lover of music, a fine musician, and for years traveled as such with shows. More recently he has been the sexton of St. Matthew's church and in this capacity served most faithfully until illness prevented.

Mr. Coon, besides the sister, Mrs. Arkell, is survived by a brother, John Coon, who lives near Gilbertsville; a nephew, Fred Coon of Butternuts; three nieces, Mrs. Lillian Burdick of Oneonta, Mrs. Louis Palmer of Otego and Miss Lulu Coon, who lives at home, near Gilbertsville.

Entertains Sunday School Class.

Mrs. Ella Cameron entertained her class in the Methodist Sabbath school at Idle-a-While Tuesday afternoon, from 3 to 5. Light refreshements were served.

Returns from Oxford.

Mrs. J. Frank White and daughter, Miss Louise White, have returned from a very enjoyable two weeks visit with Mrs. White's brother, Dr. Charles Thompson of Oxford, and her son Samuel, and family at Ilion.

In Oneonta With Daughter

Mrs. Charles Fuller is in Oneonta, with her daughter, Miss Clara Fuller, who was operated on for appendicitis at the Parshall hospital.

"Home Acres" a Success.

The play, "Home Acres," which was at first to have been presented in Gilbertsville May 22, will be given this week Friday evening, May 9. They repeated the play in Unadilla Tuesday evening, as many were unable to attend it the first time, and some who did attend wished to see it again.

May Day Party.

The Catholic Social club cleared about $40 at their May Day party.

Woman's Club Meeting.

The Woman's club held a business meeting at the Community house Wednesday evening. The dinner and play expected the same evening were postponed one week, on account of the death of George Whitaker.

Attend Ostsenango Chapter.

Mrs. B. W. Stearns, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Tabor and Mr. and Mrs. Leon VanCott, attended Otsenango chapter when they entertained their district deputy grand matron, R. W. D. G. M. Louis S. Hunt and Thomas MacClary assistant grand lecturer of that district, made their official visit.

Baseball Begins.

Baseball has begun in Unadilla. Games scheduled this week by the Unadilla High School team are: Friday, 2:30, Oneonta; Saturday, 2:30, Franklin.

Food Sale Saturday.

The intermediate department of the Methodist Episcopal Sunday school will have a food sale Saturday, May 10, at the Down Town grocery.

Attend Otego Chapter.

Freedom chapter, O. E. S., are invited to the Otego chapter Friday evening of this week when the District Deputy Grand Matron Mrs. Lillian Mertching of Sharon Springs and Assistant Grand Lecturer Claude Coy of Edmeston make their official visit to Otego chapter.

DISTRICT GROUP MEETING.

Interesting Session of Missionary Societies Held Friday in Edmeston.

Edmeston, May 7. — A district group meeting composed of the Methodist churches in the Oneonta district was held in the Methodist Episcopal church at Edmeston Friday afternoon. Following the luncheon, served at the church, the session was opened by the district group president, Mrs. H. S. Welch, of Edmeston. Mrs. D. H. Stoddard, conference secretary of Newark Valley, N. Y., gave a helpful address and Mrs. Mary Popof, returned missionary from Bulgaria, dressed in native costume, told of her work. It was regrettable that the condition of the roads prevented a larger attendance but those present report a most inspiring meeting.

Annual W. C. T. U. Tea.

The annual dues tea of the W. C. T. U. was held at the Methodist Episcopal church Friday evening. Following the supper, a devotional service was held, after which the address of the evening was delivered by Mrs. DeGraf of Amsterdam. Eighteen new members were added to the local union.

Moves to Oneonta.

Mrs. William Thurston moved her household effects to Oneonta last week where she expects to make her home. While her many friends here regret her departure, their best wishes follow her to her new home.

Has Position in Bank.

Miss Frances Payne, who has very creditably completed her course at the Albany Business college, has accepted a position in the First National bank of Edmeston and entered upon her duties May 1.

Ill of Heart Trouble.

Mrs. Harry Schoonmaker of Middletown has been in town the past week helping to care for her father, Clarke Hoxsie, who is seriously ill with heart trouble.

Personal News.

Bob Hall of Hudson Falls was a pleasant caller in town last week.—Mrs. Henry Hoes of Chicago, Ill., who recently is back at the home home—Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Woodward and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Woodward, Jr., of Oneonta, spent Thursday night and Friday at the home of Dr. and Mrs. D. H. Woodward.—Dr. W. R. Lough motored to Herkimer Sunday, his granddaughters, Charlotte and Agnes Parker, who have been spending some time in town, accompanied him to their home there. He reports the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Parker to be improving.—Miss Elizabeth Dunster, who spent a few days last week at her home in Manlius, returned Sunday with her car.—E. C. Linn and daughter, Olive, spent the week-end with Mrs. Linn at Saranac Lake.—Rev. D. H. Woodward was in Oneonta Tuesday. — Russell Doig spent a few days last week in Greene. —L. J. Adams of Norwich is in town tuning pianos.—Mrs. Anna Mack is caring for I. D. Smith at the home of Judge and Mrs. U. G. Welch.

CHAS. BRONNER DIES IN UTICA.

Body is Brought to Cooperstown for Interment.

Cooperstown, May 7. — Charles Bronner, son of Martin H. Bronner, died Tuesday at an early hour in Utica. The body was brought to the father's home. Surviving him are his father, one sister, Mrs. Frank Lettis one brother, Wilber M. Bronner.

Eleventh Birthday.

Miss Marjorie Lewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry N. Lewis, celebrated her eleventh birthday May 7 by giving a theatre party and supper to fifteen of her young friends.

Fractures Arm.

Adrian Mumford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Mumford, fractured his right arm while playing Tuesday at his home on Eagle street. The lad was cared for at the Mary Imogene Bassett hospital.

Buys Eating Place.

Samuel Shaw has purchased of H. N. Lewis the eating place on Main street near the Cooperstown National bank.

Death of Paul Lamy.

Cooperstown friends have been notified of the death of Paul Lamy, son of Peter Lamy, a former business man of this village. Paul Lamy was born in Cooperstown, August 6, 1891. In December, 1906, he moved to Los Angeles, Cal. During the World war he served in the United States army in Siberia. At its close he enlisted in the Marines and was connected with the U. S. S. Idaho. He died in a New York hospital. Surviving are his father; three sisters, Mrs. A. H. Page of Swatow, China; Miss Mabel Lamy, of Brooklyn; Miss Alice, of Los Angeles; two brothers, David H., of Los Angeles; Dr. Edgar D. Laury of Stamford, Conn.

Fire Boys Elect Officers.

At the annual election of officers of the Cooperstown fire department held Monday evening the following officers were elected: Chief, Thomas B. Morrison; first assistant, Isum Ballard; second assistant, Charles Coleman; secretary and treasurer, George Cooper.

Justice Hill Speaker of Evening.

Wednesday evening, May 7, the Brotherhood dinner of the Methodist Episcopal church was held in the church parlors. The speaker of the evening was Hon. James P. Hill, supreme court justice, who gave a very interesting and instructive talk on "The Development of the Federal Constitution."

Conductor Wilbur Buys Home.

Charles S. Stanton has sold his residence on Chestnut street to Horatio S. Wilbur, conductor on the Cooperstown branch of the D. & H. Possession given May 31.

ELK CREEK SCHOOL MEETING.

A. G. Butler Elected District Trustee on Tuesday Night.

Elk Creek, May 7. — At the annual school meeting, held Tuesday evening, A. G. Butler was elected trustee, J. Maud Nellis collector, and R. F. Hubbard clerk. The largest number of voters ever in attendance were present.

Mothers' Day Sunday.

Mothers' Day will be observed in the church on Sunday. The pastor will have a special sermon along that line.

Returns From Albany.

Cecil Magee, who has been conducting a restaurant in Albany for the past three months, has sold his business there and is spending some time at his home here.

Personal Mention.

Mrs. William Mills, who has been staying with her brother, Dexter Marble at Oneonta Plains for some time, returned home Saturday.—Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Edwards and daughter, Elaine, were in Oneonta Friday. —Mr. and Mrs. Warren Hurd of Boston have been spending some time at the home of her brother, William Bidgood.—Arthur, Lewis and Ralph Dutcher, who are working in Schenectady, were guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dutcher, Saturday night and Sunday. They made the trip in Ralph's car.—Mrs. Kate Salisbury is a guest of friends in Worcester for a few days.

THIS FROM MILFORD

Junior Class to Hold Social Friday Evening at School Building.

Milford, May 7. — The Junior class of the Milford High school will hold a Backward social at the school building on Friday evening of this week to which the public is invited.

Homer Barnard Breaks Nose.

Homer Barnard, youngest son of I. M. Bernard, had the misfortune to have his nose broken while playing baseball on the school campus Monday. The young lad was hit on the nose by a pitched ball and rendered unconscious for a few minutes. He was taken to the office of Dr. W. R. Seeber, who reduced the fracture.

WESTVILLE PLANS PROGRAM.

Better Homes Address to Be Delivered by Miss Bosserman.

Westville, May 7. — As May 11 to 18 has been set aside as Better Homes week in America, the Home bureau will have a meeting in the Grange hall Tuesday evening. Miss Bosserman will have charge of the meeting. Refreshments will be served and every one is invited.

Visited Friends Here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jacobs and sons of Smith Basin, Washington county, spent the week-end with friends here.

LAURENS MEETINGS.

Cemetery Association to Meet With Mrs. Jennie Newell This Evening.

Laurens, May 7. — There will be a meeting of the Laurens Cemetery association Thursday evening at 7:30 with Mrs. Jennie Newell. This meeting is called for the purpose of making plans for Decoration day.

Eastern Star Officers to Meet.

A meeting of the O. E. S. officers for practice on Friday afternoon at 2:30 at the Masonic hall.

MRS. COUSE SUFFERS SHOCK

Former Resident of Oneonta Stricken at Home in New Lisbon.

New Lisbon, May 7. — Mrs. Jane Couse, a former resident of Oneonta, but for several years a resident of this village, suffered a severe shock Tuesday night at the home of Charles Hickling, where she had been visiting for several days. She is considered to be in a critical condition.

School District Trustees Elected.

The following trustees were elected at the various school district meetings held on Tuesday night: New Lisbon, Charles Brooks; Buck, Allen Brimmer; Gardnertown, John Peet; Stetsonville, Mrs. Perry Stanhouse; Naylors Corners, George Crandall; Elm Grove, Archie Eldred; Garrattsville, Earl Chase for three years, and Knoch, Luman Chase.

Play to Be Repeated by Request.

Wells Bridge, May 7. — By special request the play, "Oak Farm," will be repeated in Sisson's hall on Friday evening at 8:15 o'clock. Everyone is invited to attend the performance which will be a benefit for the building fund of the Baptist church.

Laverne Earl, who was unable to take part in the previous presentation on account of illness, will give a sketch as "Ikey," the chalkologist.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Close, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Anna M. Gould, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned executor of the last will and testament of the said deceased, at the law offices of Owen C. Becker, Esq., in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 16th day of July, next.

Dated, December 18, 1923.

Adolphus S. Hewell, Executor

Owen C. Becker, Attorney for Executor, Oneonta, N. Y.

STATE OF NEW YORK, SUPREME COURT, COUNTY OF OTSEGO. — David A. VanSchaick, as executor of the last will and testament of Emma G. Williams, Plaintiff, against David A. VanSchaick, individually; Elizabeth Bayle, Ethelbert Fuller, Marcia VanBuren, Bertha Beach, Margaret VanBuren, Gardner Folts, Lavette Aldrich, Marion Aldrich, Ida Peck, Jeanette Platt, Fred Fuller, George Fuller, D. J. Smiley, Van A. Smiley, May Rogers, George Bradley, Albert Bradley, Frank Bradley, Robert Bradley, Burton C. Fuller, Charles H. Fuller, Hattie Cole, Grace Nichols, Hattie Marlette and Al[illegible], Defendants.

To the Above Named Defendants:

You are hereby summoned to answer the complaint in this action, and to serve a copy of your answer, or, if the complaint is not served with this summons, to serve a notice of appearance, on the plaintiff's attorney within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service. In case of your failure to appear or answer, judgment will be taken against you by default for the relief demanded in the complaint.

Trial to be held in the County of Otsego.

Dated this twenty-eighth day of March, Nineteen Hundred Twenty-four.

K. W. LOCKWOOD,
Plaintiff's Attorney,
Office and P. O. Address,
Hartwick, New York.

To Elizabeth Bayle, Margaret VanBuren, Gardner Folts, D. J. Smiley, Van A. Smiley, May Rogers and Robert Bradley:

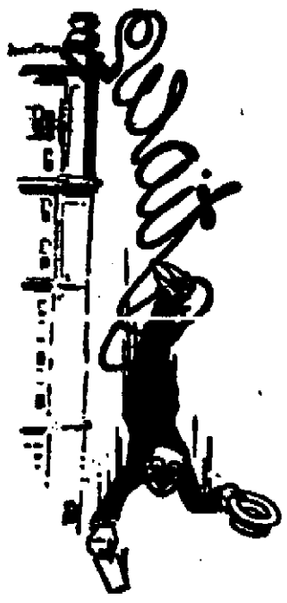
The foregoing summons is served upon you by publication, pursuant to an order of Honorable Abraham L. Kellogg, a Justice of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, dated the twenty-ninth day of March, 1924, and filed with the complaint in the office of the Clerk of the County of Otsego, in the Village of Cooperstown, Otsego County, in said state.

The object of this action is to make partition according to the respective rights of the parties and, if it appears that partition cannot be made without great prejudice to the owners, then for a sale of the following described property:

All that tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the City of Oneonta, County of Otsego and State of New York, and described in a warranty deed dated December 25, 1899, given by Peter V. Fox to Emma G. Williams, and recorded in Otsego County Clerk's office December 6, 1911, in Liber 160 of Deeds at page 184; also described in a deed given by N. I. Ford to Emma G. Williams, dated August 13, 1901, recorded in Otsego County Clerk's office, August 16, 1901, in Liber 133 of Deeds at page 342; and being the same premises upon which the testator Emma G. Williams died intestate on March 15, 1923.

K. W. LOCKWOOD,
Plaintiff's Attorney.

It's On It's Way



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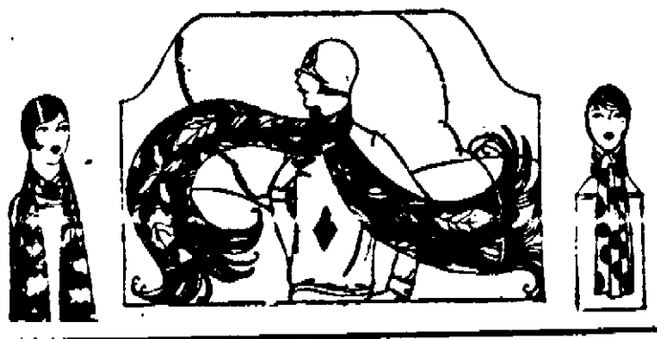

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THE BIGGEST BUSINESS.

The biggest business in the world, it is authoritatively stated, is not the Standard Oil company. Big as it is and with ramifications throughout the world. Rather it is the United States postal service, and the department at Washington sends out a few figures to prove the assertion. Here are some of them:

Every year the postal service handles 23,000,000,000 articles, and of these twelve billions, or more than half, are letters. Every year the postal employes deliver 112 letters to every man, woman and child in the country, and the total weight of these letters is 133,350 tons. Every second of the twenty-four hours there are 350 letters dropped into letter boxes and every hour 1,400,000. There are 44,000 postmen in cities and towns and there are 46,526 rural routes delivering mail to thirty million individuals. There are 351,000 full and part time postal employes and they are paid $441,032,000 for their services.

We have been accustomed to belittle the air plane postal service, but last year the mail planes flew two million miles and delivered more than 65 millions of letters. Almost every conceivable type of transportation is used in this service, including railroads, steamboats, automobiles, airplanes, motor boats, wagons, horses, pneumatic tubes, belt conveyors, motorcycles, bicycles, sleds in the Arctic and even the Alaskan dog car. Railway mail cars covered a distance of 219 million miles last year, or considerably more than a trip to the sun and back, and the railways now use 4,000 mail cars.

And it is noted that the postal savings bank has on deposit $134,000,000, that a billion and a third of dollars were sent last year by means of money orders, and that there were 92,000,000 articles registered last year for transportation through the mails, while fifteen and a half billion stamps and a billion and a quarter postal cards were printed and sold.

Perusal of these figures will show how immense one department only of the American government is and how it dwarfs all other industries, no matter how respectfully we have been accustomed to speak of them.

MUSCLE SHOALS

The fact that a great financial corporation has offered approximately twice as much for the great industrial plant at Muscle Shoals as Henry Ford expressed a willingness to give does not necessarily carry with it an implication as to the good faith of the latter in making his previous offer. There are many conditions, stipulations and exceptions connected with the bids, and a careful examination of them may be necessary in order to determine which is best for the government, albeit upon its face the more recent offer seems the more favorable.

One thing, however, which is worth considering is the fact that until the Ford offer was made, Muscle Shoals seemed likely to go a begging, so small comparatively were the offers and so unwilling was anybody, it appeared, to take them over. The Ford offer focused public attention on the situation, and presently his offer was doubled. It does not seem likely that the Shoals were worth practically nothing a couple of years ago, and that all at once they have become so valuable. Altogether, and whether the Ford offer is accepted or not, the Detroit manufacturer deserves credit for bulling the market so that now the government is likely to make many millions of dollars.

Niece of Mr. Schatzky Honored.

Miss Eva Jacobs, a niece of J. D. Schatzky of this city, a student of Utica Free academy, has recently been awarded second honors in the graduating class of that institution. Considering the fact that she is only 16 years of age, her record is all the more gratifying.

THE GUIDE POST—

BY

Henry and Tertius VanDyke

Old Failures Discredited

Remember the days of old; consider the years of many generations.—Deut. 32: 7.

Communism, agrarianism, proletarianism, anarchism, have all had their day, and it was a bad day. — in Athens and Sparta and Rome and Jerusalem and Paris and Moscow.

Why give them another day?

The divine right of kings and nobles to impose their will upon their fellow men has been tested many times and has always failed to make good before the throne of Eternal Wisdom and Righteousness.

The bankruptcy of the French Revolution was no worse, and no better, than the breakdown of the attempt of the Holy Alliance to re-establish the tyranny of hereditary rulers and unjust prerogatives.

Why ask us to return to these old discredited theories?

They are not really guide posts.

They are signs of "no thoroughfare."

Give us something really new, gentlemen.

Think out some better mode of induing the lazy to work, and of restraining the clever and industrious from oppressing contented souls.

That is what we want, so surely as one and two make three.

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ONE OF THE FIRST

Police Commissioner Affiliates Himself with Club on His Experiences as Member of New York Police Force.

Police Commissioner Julius S. Pattengill gave an interesting talk at the weekly luncheon of the Kiwanis club yesterday, the subject being, "Twenty-five Years on the New York Police Force." He was introduced by John S. Lauren, the chairman of the day, and was accorded close attention by all.

Mr. Pattengill said that the first peace officers of New York city were termed watchmen. This force developed into a body of men wearing derby hats with bands lettered "City Order Police." From the initials of those words the name cop was coined by which the police are everywhere known. The present force consists of twelve thousand and costs about thirty million dollars to maintain.

Mr. Pattengill was appointed to the New York police force in 1894 by Theodore Roosevelt. After attendance at police school for thirty days he was placed on duty on the Bowery, in the district controlled by Timothy D. Sullivan. For political reasons an officer in the gas house district, East 22nd street, was brought down town and Mr. Pattengill took his place, in the district controlled by Charles F. Murphy, with whom he became well acquainted.

Refused Tammany Invitation.

When asked to join the Murphy association, he declined because, as he said, the Pattengills of Mt. Vision didn't vote that way.

The gas house district was a much better place to be on duty than the Bowery, where the only way to succeed among the toughs was to be tough. The best places to serve, he said, are in the poorest sections, where the officers are looked up to and treated with consideration. Policemen have to get hardened and cannot show sympathy to anyone.

The police department was governed for almost seven years by a single policeman, Richard E. Enright, who was taken out of uniform by the mayor and made police commissioner. The police force of New York city, Mr. Pattengill says, is the best one in the world today.

The best job in the state for an untrained man to enter is on the New York police force. The pay is good and although there are sad scenes, there are good times. The policemen are not grouches and are the finest kind of men.

He says that people coming to the country want to be shown the slums. There are no slums. In all districts there are good fellows and nice women, but they are tied to the city and they would not accept and live in the finest homes in Oneonta or any small city.

No body of police can govern themselves but must be under discipline if you expect a proper functioning force. Back of them must be men who have backbone to stand up for the right at all times.

Miss Miller, who is superintending the production of the "Womanless Wedding," under the auspices of the Kiwanis and Rotary clubs, gave an interesting talk on the production and asked that all get back of the venture and do their utmost.

Robert N. Clemons and Clarence T. Holmes of this city, S. C. Derrick of Cooperstown, R. J. Cooper of the State Board of Labor, Dr. Ferdinand Reinhard of the State Board of Health and W. H. Sidney of Central Bridge were guests at the luncheon.

That Body of Yours

By James W. Barton, M.D.

A THOUGHT ABOUT THE COMPLEXION

Perhaps you or your growing boy or girl has considerable trouble and annoyance from unsightly pimples.

It is very embarrassing because they so often appear upon the face.

You know that it is from no want of cleanliness, because you have been particularly assiduous in keeping you skin clean.

You try various lotions, and get results that may last for a short time. You then try something else without result.

If you are wise you will consult your physician, and he will likely tell you that it is all a matter of diet.

If you are insistent you can get him to outline a diet for you.

All the skin lotions in the world will not alter the consistency of your blood.

They may be of use in helping the pimples to heal more quickly, but they will not prevent pimples.

The fact of the matter is that you are perhaps manufacturing too much oil, so much in fact, that it gets a bit thickened and does not pour out upon the skin as readily as it should.

You see your skin was meant to be oiled to keep it soft and pliable, and to some extent waterproof.

The tiny openings through which the oil is poured may become clogged with dust which may have harmful substances in it.

This causes an ordinary blackhead to become a pimple.

Many people can eat anything and everything and have no trouble whatever with the skin.

I know a woman with an unusually good complexion who could not eat a piece of butter without having to pay up for it by a crop of pimples.

Anything heating such as porridge, candies, and too many cakes and pies will often start the trouble. A big factor in having a continual crop of pimples is constipation. The great majority of sufferers will admit that they are thus troubled.

The cure then is first of all to watch the diet, and cut down on the foods mentioned above.

The next thing is to stimulate the skin to action by exercise and bathing. This heats up the skin, keeps the oil thinner and purifies the blood by the extra intake of oxygen.

The bathing and rubbing likewise cleanses the skin, and stimulates the circulation.

Don't be satisfied until you have gone after them in the proper manner, diet and exercise.

BACKYARD GARDENETS

TWENTY AND THIRTY YEARS AGO

Days of Old Recalled by Items Clipped from The Star Files.

May 8, 1904.

Andrew B. Saxton has purchased, through J. L. Bowdish the house and lot at 9 Third street, and will soon take possession.

Arrangements have been made with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bliss of New York to become the readers of the Christ Scientist church of Oneonta. It is expected that Mr. and Mrs. Bliss will reach Oneonta about June 1.

A baseball team called the Stars has been organized by local boys. The lineup follows: Mahon, ss; Gleason, 3b; Buerger, p and f; Tamsett, 2b; Wallers lf; Welch, c; Wardell, rf; Utter, f and p; Barnes, 1b.

The Arbor day exercises of the Primary department of the Academy street school were participated in by the following young boys and girls: Ethel Moon, George Cranston, Hazel Strohman, Radnor Jennings, Edna Morse, Eva Brandow, Leslie Parks, Irene Hayes, Isabel Mahaffy, Marguerite McClellan, Harold Collar and Grace Campbell.

May 8, 1894.

Zita's orchestra of Albany will give a sacred concert at the Oneonta club Sunday evening.

Oneonta would make a desirable location for a summer school for teachers and we believe some enterprising instructor would find the project profitable.

At the reception at the Woman's club yesterday afternoon, the hostesses were: Mrs. E. M. Johnson, Mrs. F. D. Miller, Mrs. George Moore and Mrs. A. W. Carr, therefore it is hardly necessary to add that it was a very pleasant affair. The interest in literary work is constantly increasing.

The following pupils of Mis Russell's room at the Oneonta Union school took part in the Arbor day exercises: Leigh Holley, Ethel Teachout, Lulu Vincent, Ada Gage, Elizabeth Marshall, Florence Stratton and Jessie Turner, Rena Babbitt, Frank Dumond, Anita Hornshu, Jay Leventhall, Mary Steele, and Mary Walsh.

SKIN YOU LOVE TO TOUCH

Binghamton Morning Sun Comments on Complexion of Justice Kellogg.

The following is taken from the "Town Topics" column of the Binghamton Morning Sun of yesterday.

"Justice Abraham L. Kellogg of Oneonta, here presiding at the May term of supreme court has a complexion which would do credit to the girl in the 'skin you love to touch' advertisements. The jurists admits that he is healthy and adds that he intends to keep that way.

"I go out and work in the garden for an hour or so every morning when at home he explains."

State Highway Construction.

The following bulletin showing the work done upon highway contracts during the week ending May 2, is issued by A. W. Brandt, state commissioner of highways:

Contracts under way, 139; men employed by contractors, 2,704; square yards of pavement completed, 3,627; pavement completed this season, 3,627; total maintenance force, 3,487.

The first pavement is being laid this week. With good weather, the amount of pavement put down each week should increase rapidly.

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EXTENDING ITS SERVICE

State Gas and Electric Corporation Asks Lease to Operate in Other Towns.

Albany, May 7. — The New York State Gas & Electric corporation of Ithaca, which recently took over various small electric and gas companies in the southern and southeastern part of the state, yesterday made application to the Public Service Commission for the necessary state authority to construct and operate an electric distribution system and serve residents of the towns of Brookfield, Madison county; Cherry Valley, Westford and Maryland in Otsego county; New Berlin, Chenango county, and Pine Plains, Ulster county, with electricity for light, heat and power purposes.

The corporation has secured consents from the trustees of all towns wherein it now asks the state authorization to operate and serve the public. Early hearing will be had on the petitions. The company is now operating in about 10 towns and villages in various counties.

Whatever she may be, you can send your mother your offering of flowers on her day, through our affiliation with the Florists' Telegraph Delivery and the National Florists. Let us tell you how simple it is. Wyckoff, the telegraph florist. advt 3t

A NUTRITION CONFERENCE

Past and Future of Work in Otsego County Discussed Yesterday.

Five Home Bureaus of Otsego county, those of Oneonta, Worcester, Otego, Middlefield Center and West Oneonta, were represented at the nutrition conference which yesterday morning and afternoon was held at the Y. M. C. A. building in this city. There was a good attendance of interested members, and the two sessions were alike helpful and interesting.

At the morning session the work of the past year was discussed in the light of achievements and discouragements. The meeting was in charge of Miss Bonserman, with Miss Hollon of the State College of Agriculture as leader in the work. In the afternoon the plans for the coming year were taken up, and after formulation will be submitted to the various groups for approval.

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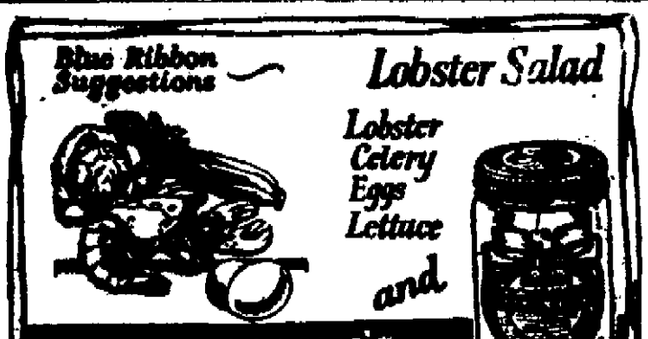
Blue Ribbon Suggestions — Lobster Salad



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7 "Garland" Counterbalanced Oven Door—When open forms a shelf flush with the oven and always lowers without jarring.
8 "Garland" Fire-Box Linings—Made in sections and built extra heavy to withstand the most intense heat.
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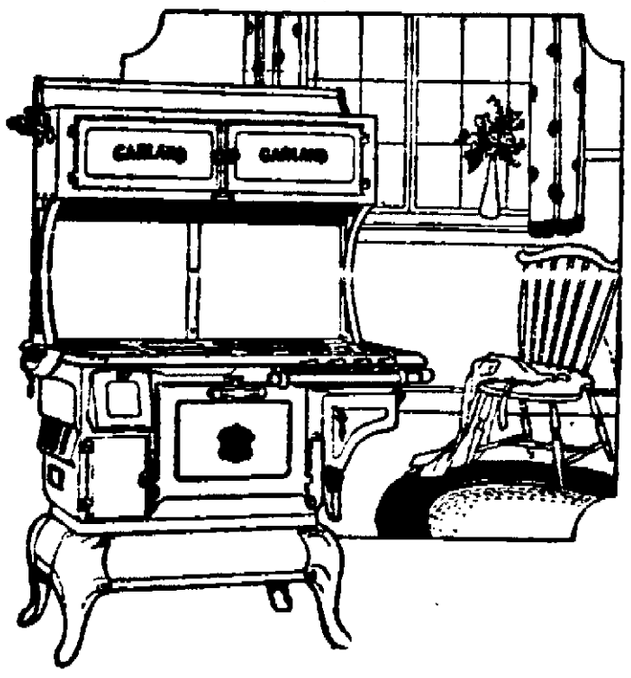

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8 a. m.	49
2 p. m.	70
8 p. m.	60
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LOCAL MENTION

—There was a large attendance at the dance held at Oneonta Dancing Academy last evening, music for which was provided by Harvey Marburger and his orchestra.

—Mrs. Caroline Strong of 25 River street celebrates today her ninetieth birthday and will no doubt receive congratulations and tokens of felicitations upon her advanced age and the fairly good degree of health she is enjoying.

—The dining room at the Country club will be open for the first meal of the season this (Thursday) evening for dinner. The Millards are arranging to maintain a la carte service throughout the day and evening for the accommodation of members. The club house has been thoroughly renovated and is in spick and span condition ready for the opening dinner. Indications are very favorable for a successful season.

"TWEEDLES" TONIGHT

First Presentation of Dramatic Club of High School Play Tonight —Tickets Going Fast.

When the curtain rises at the High school auditorium this evening at 8:15 o'clock, those who are present will receive a pleasant surprise, for never in the history of the school have as elaborate stage settings been provided for a play as those which have been assembled for "Tweedles," the comedy by Booth Tarkington which the High school Dramatic club is to present this and tomorrow evenings.

Tickets have been selling in a gratifying manner for the play, showing that its merit is a certainty to many who have regularly attended the club presentations. Reservations for Friday as well as for this evening should be made today, at Gardner's shoe store, since the demand thus far has been far greater than last year. However more seats remain for tonight than for tomorrow, and as many as can are urged to secure their reservations for tonight.

The cast has been working particularly earnestly the past week under the direction of Miss Lois Wagner, instructor in elocution and dramatic art at the High school, and all is in readiness for an excellent presentation of "Tweedles," undoubtedly one of the best works of Tarkington, and Harry Leon Wilson, who is almost as well known.

"Tweedles" is not only filled with fun, but with philosophy which the school authorities believe will make the play one long to be remembered by Oneontans.

Meetings Today.

Regular review of the Maccabees, in K. of P. hall, at 8 o'clock.

The St. James' guild will meet in the parish house this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. An English dinner will be served at 5 o'clock. All ladies of the parish are cordially invited.

The Social club of the Universalist church will meet with Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hotaling, 80 Fair street, this evening. Business meeting at 8 o'clock. Mrs. Hotaling, Mrs. Hendy and Mrs. Ward, hostesses.

A regular meeting of the G. I. A. to B. of L. E. will be held in Odd Fellows' hall this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

Mothers' day, Sunday, May 11. Nothing will please her more than a little gift of flowers. We have them in the quality we would like to have sent us. Roses, carnations, sweet peas, jonquils, tulips and snapdragons. Wyckoff, the telegraph florist. advt 3t

Attention, K. of C. Members.

Regular meeting of Council 261 occurs tonight at 8 o'clock in K. of C. hall. Business requiring a large attendance is to be transacted. April assessment expires tonight. advt 1t

A One-Cent Sale.

One cake Jap Rose soap, famous for shampooing the hair, 10; Marlborough hair net, regular 10c size, 1c, total 11c. Whitcomb's, 102 Center street. advt 2t

The ladies of the Lutheran church will serve a supper in the church parlors on Saturday evening of this week, beginning at 5 o'clock. Watch The Star for the menu. Price of the supper, 50 cents. advt 2t.

Don't forget you can get Sprague's bread at our store. We also have a good assortment of pies, cakes, cookies, doughnuts, etc., fresh each day. Finigan's grocery. Phone 528. advt 2t.

First signs of spring—Pansy plants in gorgeous assortment of colors at Wyckoff's. Greenhouses, 37 Grove street. Flower shop, 197 Main street. advt 3t

Fresh Fish.

Roe shad, steak halibut, cod, haddock, flounders, and lake trout. Todd's market, phone 19. advt 1t

The Citizens' National Bank and Trust company pays 4 per cent in their interest department. Rent a safe deposit box in this bank. advt 1t

Home on Spruce Street.

All improvements, garage. Come in and talk home with us. The Collier agency. advt 1t

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Buy your garden seeds at the Davis grocery. Bulk peas, Nott's Excelsior and dark podded telephones, Golden Bantam corn, etc. advt 1t

Stop. Who is there? A man with indigestion. Go at once to Sherman's Drug store and get a bottle of Royal Digesto. advt 1t

Did you know you could buy an Essex six cylinder car at the Willys Morlan corporation for $960.00? advt 1t

Try our teas and coffees. They are surely trade winners. Davis grocery. advt 1t

Fresh fish and clams. A good supply just arrived at Hills' market, 5 Wall street. Phone 422-J. advt 1t

We still handle chase at Palmer's grocery. Fresh today. advt 2t

CAST PLUGS RAPIDLY

Many Prominent Amateur Business and Professional Men to Take Part in Womanless Wedding May 19 and 20.

"Somewhere a woman giggled and then a hen-throated male member of the human family guffawed. The giggle and the guffaw constituted the vanguard of the army of giggles and guffaws that swept down upon the members of the cast of the Womanless Wedding from the large audience in the Oneonta theatre last evening on the occasion of the first performance of that entertaining bit of home talent work being given by the Rotary and Kiwanis clubs of this city under the direction of Miss Clementine Miller for the benefit of the fund for a day nursery and girls' dormitory in Oneonta."

If you read The Star on the morning of Tuesday, May 20, you will probably observe an item beginning in very similar fashion to the above, for the Womanless Wedding is going to produce just that effect upon its witnesses. Those who saw the first rehearsal last evening are saying today that the play, which will be given on the evenings of May 19 and 20, will surpass any amateur production since the days when caterpillars wore hip boots and the dainty hippopotamus peered shyly from behind a slender reed to watch the Da-Da bird disporting in the waters of the Nile.

In addition to the appearance of members of the Kiwanis and Rotary clubs attired in their wives' party gowns there will be a wealth of chorus and speciality numbers by young men and women of the city and a series of delightful musical numbers by well known local soloists.

At a meeting of members of the clubs, held last evening in Municipal hall parts were assigned and the first rehearsal held. The players entered into their work with vim and accomplished a great deal of preliminary work last evening.

The cast, very incomplete as yet as many parts are yet to be filled, follows:

Bride—Daniel Franklin.
Groom—Leon VanWoert.
Mother of bride—B. C. Lauren.
Father of bride — Dr. Lester S. Lang.
Mother of groom—Jerry B. Wilson.
Father of groom—M. C. Hematreet.
Ring bearer—Edward Crippen.
Old Maid—G. Edmund Tupper.
Old Batchelor—Byron H. Chesbro.
Black Mammy — Dr. LeRoy S. House.
Butler—Alfred V. Carr.
Little brother — Walter M. Goldsmith.
Little sister—Clyde F. Breese.
Master of ceremonies—Dr. Arthur H. Brownell.
Flower girls — Merritt C. Dibble, Raymond M. Tucker, I. Jay Bookhout, John S. Lauren.
Bridesmaids—W. O. Brannaman, J. H. Breisford, E. L. Sellers, A. C. Lange.
Guests—Mary Pickford, Earle P. Elmore; Norma Talmadge, J. Barton Lane; Dorothy Dalton, Dr. Norman W. Gutman; Lillian Gish, Linn L. Gardner; Constance Talmadge, Arthur Seybolt; Theda Bara, Louis E. Capron; Gloria Swanson, P. Ralph Chambers; Corrine Griffith, Herbert A. Lewis; May Murray, L. R. Hamilton; Clara Kimball Young, S. E. McKean; Mabel Normand, Herbert C. Gutman; Jane Caprice, Allan E. Riedorph; Lila Lee, Russell H. Brigham; Irene Castle, F. W. Hussegen.

DINNER SPEAKERS UNKNOWN.

Toast List for Dinner to Judge Hill Not Announced.

President Flaesch of the Otsego County Bar association has not announced the speakers at the complimentary dinner to be tendered to Justice James Hill at Hotel Oneonta tomorrow evening, at which it is expected there will be in attendance other justices of this and adjoining districts and members of the bar of adjoining counties. Indications now are that there will be about 75 in attendance.

Finding it difficult to determine who should be honored with an invitation to speak on similar occasions Mr. Flaesch has hit upon the novel plan of drawing the names of the attorneys in the county from a hat and introducing the third or fifth man drawn. The same method will be followed with the visiting justices and the visiting attorneys. Hence the announcement in the invitations issued to the effect, "You man be called upon to speak." Of course Justice Hill will be expected to respond after the others have spoken.

Arrangements are completed for the dinner and Manager Peterson of the hotel dining room has promised one of his best meals which will be perfectly satisfactory to the barristers and their guests. While the dinner is announced for 6 o'clock it will probably be later before the party is seated, as a short reception in honor of Judge Hill will precede the dinner

Undergoes Serious Operation.

Mrs. Frank Grant of Stamford, who was brought to the Parshall hospital in this city Tuesday evening by her daughter, Miss Julia Grant, underwent a serious operation yesterday morning, the surgeons in attendance being Drs. Campbell of Stamford, and Latcher, Brinkman and Smith of this city. While her condition last evening was considered critical, the surgeons and attendants are hopeful.

Private Sale, Grimes Studio.

Everything reasonable. Buffet, table, chairs, rugs, settees and other household goods, etc. Must be sold at once. advt 2t

Notice.

Beginning today the price of our bottled pasturized milk is 10c per qt. Oneonta Dairy Company. advt 2t

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Will Trade for Farm.

A good home, on Main street. The Collier agency, 2 Dietz street. advt 1t

We are now handling Purity ice cream. Order it with your groceries. Finigan's grocery. Phone 528. advt 2t.

For Sale—Pair young horses; good workers in all harness. C. E. Thomson, South Side. advt 2t

You can now get Canada dry ginger ale at Burtrand's on Dietz street. advt 2t

To Rent—Store. Inquire 112 Main street, Oneonta. advt 2t

ELKS PAY TRIBUTE

To Their Mothers at Impressive Ceremony Last Evening—Elaborate Memorial Display.

A tribute to Mother that caused many a throat to contract and many an eye to dim was given at the regular meeting of Oneonta lodge of Elks last evening in the nature of a Mothers' day program arranged in accordance with the decree of the grand lodge that each year the meeting night nearest Mothers' day shall be dedicated to the memory of those who went down into the Valley of the Great Shadow that we might have our being.

The officers of the lodge had worked for many days in preparation for this, one of the outstanding events in the year's calendar, and the result was a service beautifully impressive. The program began with an appropriate selection by the Elks' Glee club with Charles Keeton singing the lead. The stage curtain then rose on a scene typical of the best efforts of H. W. Fluhrer and E. J. Lutsey, who had this portion in charge. Across the stage stretched an arbor decorated with flowers, topped with a row of electric lights and flanked by stands of the national colors.

While the 'cellist behind the scenes played softly, Dr. Edward J. Parish, J. L. Leal, W. Morton Bertrand, Alfred V. Carr, Edward Stack and Dr. F. H. Marx, officers of the lodge, each brought to the stage from their respective stations a large white letter, each giving a tribute to Mother and finally handing the letter to little Miss Doris Hewell who hung the letters on the lattice work, spelling the word, "Mother." The lights were dimmed and the letters, surrounded by flowers each bearing an electric bulb in its center, blazed forth into light, which grew brighter until the magic word stood out in letters of fire. As those present gazed spellbound at the entrancing scene Byron H. Chesbro sang beautifully a solo about Mother.

The tribute was given by Rev. J. A. Judge, chaplain of the lodge, who gave an address, brief but full of tender sentiment and Mother love. Captain Judge called attention to the fact that the nation cannot fail in any undertaking while its Mothers will otherwise and said that if ten millions of American boys had failed to win the war, ten million American Mothers would have taken up the task and triumphantly completed it. He said that a boy never goes wrong through his Mother's advice and stated that the apron strings were strong enough to pull many a lad and girl from the downward path.

In closing the speaker pleaded that our Mothers be given the same consideration that the best girl is given and that love bestowed now is far better than future regret when that Mother has gone beyond. It was an address full of beautiful sentiment, beautifully expressed.

Following the meeting, which was largely attended—a number from out of the city being present as well as many local Elks—an excellent buffet luncheon was served by Steward Winde. The food was tastefully prepared and there was a great variety of dishes.

That citizens generally may have an opportunity to inspect the beautiful electrical display, the general public is cordially invited to visit the Elks' home between 1 and 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

To Address Catholic Literary Society.

The Catholic Literary society will meet this evening in the C. D. of A. club rooms at 8 o'clock. Miss Roanna C. Bagg of the Huntington Memorial library will address the club on the subject of "Juvenile Literature." The fact that Miss Bagg is so thoroughly conversant with her topic coupled with her charm as a speaker augurs well for a highly entertaining and instructive evening.

"If I could only think of a new dessert," you say. But none are better than the old standbys if you give them a new charm by using Baker's certified flavoring extracts. advt 6t

CAR BUILDING CONTEST

Oneonta, Colonie, and Carbondale Teams to Compete in Building of Box Car Here Today.

This morning at 8 o'clock teams of eight men each, representing Oneonta, Colonie and Carbondale shops of the D. & H. company, will start in a box car building contest in the local yards of the company, and under the supervision of the officials of the company and three piece work inspectors will show their best efforts hoping to build the car in as near eight hours as possible.

Guests, including officials of the New York Central, the Boston & Maine, the Boston & Albany, the New York, New Haven & Hartford, the Bangor & Aroostook, the Atlantic Coast line, the Lehigh & Hudson River, the Delaware, Lackawanna & Western, the Lehigh Valley, the Ontario & Western, the Erie, the Pennsylvania, and other roads, have arrived in the city to observe the contest and much interest in railroad circles is manifest in the outcome of the contests.

The name of the D. & H. is well known in these contests, and it is thought that the time to be made today will approach the record at least.

Materials are in readiness for the contest, and arrangements have been made for the comfortable accommodation of spectators. The public is invited to witness the contest, which will be held near the old round house on the D. & H. property near the end of Cliff street. In case of unfavorable weather the exhibition will be held in one of the shops of the company here.

The Oneonta team is composed of John Cook as foreman and Mike Truchan, John Konosovitch, Herman Wells, Albert Dillelo, Joseph Dillelo, Dominick Bunillo, Alex Usthwant, and Fred Demesko. They have made very good time in previous contests, and promise to make the pick of the Colonie and Carbondale shops hustle to finish first.

Besides the car building contest today several entertainment features have been arranged, selections by the Colonie band which will arrive this morning, and by the Colonie quartet, both known to many in this city. At noon the guests of the company will be entertained at the Oneonta at lunch.

Moving pictures of the contest will be taken today, provided the weather allows that it be held out-of-doors.

Boxing Exhibitions Last Evening.

Many of the D. & H. company guests arrived in the city last evening and a series of boxing exhibitions and other entertainment acts were held last evening in the old D. & H. roundhouse, where the boxing matches and other affairs of the local shops are held.

Six exhibitions were held, and toward the last grew to be of an exciting nature. Red Morris and Carl Dierks, a foreman of the company here, presided as referees.

The exhibitions were staged by local employes: Powie Tobey, 115, and Sunny Young, 112; Charles Heck, 128, and Jimmie Develin, 128; Louis Hodge, 133, and Ed. Connors, 128; Tommy Rowe, 140, and Tony Pondolfino, 145; and Larry Powers, 133, and Leonard Heck.

Other features of entertainment included selections by an orchestra directed by Will Parpeteys, who played the piano, Millard Stowell, the violin, and Charles Hood the traps; vocal [illegible] the Colonie quartet, and a solo by Peter Rhutz of that organization; selections by a double quartet of the Oneonta Elks' club, headed by James Walsh; an impersonation by W. H. Strafford of the Minor Draft Gear company of an Englishman, more fun than a real one; a bag punching exhibition by Louis Hodge; and a four round boxing match by Walter and Bob Hodge, two young youngsters well known in the city.

There were about 150 present at the evening's entertainment and all will attend the car building contest today.

Pansy plants. Freshly dug plants in bud and bloom at Wyckoff's Greenhouses, 37 Grove street. Flower shop, 197 Main street. advt 3t

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May 11th

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1 Ford Touring with Starter; looks like new. Price	$250.00
1 Ford Touring in good condition. Price	$ 75.00
1 Ford Roadster; a good buy. Price	$ 60.00
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Denby Revisits Washington

When last Edwin B. Denby was photographed in Washington it was in the role of secretary of the navy, resigning in the midst of oil lease charges. Here he reappears as Major Edwin B. Denby, U. S. Marines, visiting the capitol to inspect the new marine tank, designed and invented by Walter Christie.

FUNERALS

Mrs. Alice Dodge.

Funeral services for Mrs. Alice Dodge, who died suddenly in this city on Sunday evening, were held from the Main Street Baptist church yesterday morning at 11 o'clock, with Rev. Dr. C. S. Pendleton of that church officiating. Burial was made in Glenwood cemetery.

The bearers were W. H. Hoffman, George Gibbs, Adelbert Pearsall, Myron Quackenbush, Bert Ackley and George Anderson. Included in the many flowers sent for the service were pieces from the following organizations: The Fidelity class of the Main Street Baptist church, the Ladies' Aid of the Cooperstown Junction church, and the Ladies' circle of the Main Street Baptist church.

During the service duets were rendered by Rev. and Mrs. George W. Summerson of Portlandville. Rev. Summerson also offered the prayer.

Included in the friends from out of the city at the service, besides many from Cooperstown Junction, were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodge of Oswego and Mrs. Louis Simpkins of Frankfort.

Buys Ford Sedan.

Roland J. Reynolds of 6 Luther street is driving a new Ford sedan, recently purchased from the Oneonta Sales company.

Cut flowers and potted plants in fine assortment for Mothers' day, and moderate in price. We send out only the quality of flowers we would like to have sent us. Wyckoff, the telegraph florist. advt 3t

Teeth Stains Bleached Out New Safe Way

Say goodbye to dull, yellow, stained teeth! For a new harmless treatment—Bleachodent Combination — bleaches away the stains and makes teeth flashing white—often in just three minutes. Treatment consists of a mild safe liquid, which curdles and softens the stains—and a new kind of paste, which gently removes the softened stains. Bleachodent Combination keeps teeth white by preventing the formation of new stains. Does not affect enamel as its mild ingredients are especially combined to act only on surface stains—not on the enamel itself. Only a safe, mild preparation like Bleachodent Combination should be used on children's teeth which are naturally soft and sensitive, and which are especially subject to stains and decay. Fine for the gums. Get Bleachodent Combination today, for few cents at all good druggists.

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PROMINENT SIDNEY MAN

George E. Whitaker Dies Tuesday After Long Illness.

Unadilla, May 7. — George E. Whitaker of Sidney died very suddenly Tuesday, May 6, at about 7 a. m. He has been troubled for sometime with diabetes, but was able to be around and attend to business as usual, and seemed to be no worse. When he returned from his garage and sales rooms at 7:30, he only said he was tired. Tuesday morning he got up as usual and attended to the fire and returned to his room. As he did not come to breakfast his daughter, Lillian, went to his room and found him sleeping the last sleep. A physician was called and pronounced him dead, the cause diabetic coma.

Mr. Whitaker was the son of Aaron O. and Melissa Jane (Mallery) Whitaker, and was born at Starlight, Pa., August 13, 1864. He was married to Lydia L. Scribner of Masonville, January 11, 1888, who died several years ago. After living in Masonville a short time, they moved to the Griswold farm near the old paper mill, and in 1891 to Unadilla. He was engaged in a popular and successful livery business until 1912. He was then one of the first in this vicinity to engage in the automobile business, and his success was so great and business increased so rapidly that he moved to Sidney in 1916, where he still made good.

Mr. Whitaker's friends are limited only by those who knew him. His kind heart, loyal friendship and honorable dealings were realized by all, and kind and loving thoughts and deeds guided his home life. He belonged to the I. O. R. M., Odd Fellows, Maccabees and Masons.

The prayer service at the home will be held Friday, May 9, and funeral at the Baptist church in Unadilla at 1:30 p. m., Rev. G. M. Case officiating. Burial in Evergreen Hill cemetery, beside his wife.

Surviving relatives are two daughters, Miss Lillian Whitaker, who lives at home, and Mrs. Grant Zeh of Oneonta; three sons, Glen Whitaker of Unadilla, and Carleton and George Whitaker of Sidney; two grandchildren, Virginia and Glen of Unadilla. Mrs. Belle Youngs, also of Unadilla, is a sister of the deceased.

Former Resident of Oneonta Dies.

Mrs. Eliza Gilbert of 54 Chestnut street has received the sad tidings of the death of her niece, Mrs. R. D. Riley, of Lansing, Mich. The body will be brought to this city for burial in the family plot in the Plains cemetery. The funeral services, which will be private, will be held Saturday at 2 p. m., at the residence of her cousin, Lynn Gilbert, 22 Ford avenue. Mrs. Riley, who in her younger days resided in this city and attended school here, will be better remembered as Gertrude Ward. She leaves her husband, R. D. Riley, of Lansing, and two daughters, the Misses Marion and Dorothy Shatchel, of Sidney, children of a former marriage.

Try some other brand by all means. That's the best way of proving to yourself that hygrade brand butterline is superior. advt 6t

TONIGHT

PLAN TO SEE "TWEEDLES" AT THE HIGH SCHOOL TONIGHT

Many reservations still remain and may be secured at the Garner Shoe Store. Tickets are on sale at Gardners', Carr Clothing Company, Reynolds' and Goldthwaite's Book Stores.

"TWEEDLES", the latest comedy of Booth Tarkington and Harry Leon Wilson, is full of fun and the presentation of the High School Dramatic Club promises to be excellent.

SECURE YOUR TICKETS TODAY

DIVERSE IMPORTANT THEMES

Discussed Yesterday at Mothers' Club Meeting — Sermons Sewing and Child Welfare.

At the meeting of the Mothers' club, held yesterday afternoon at the First Presbyterian church, topics of special interest to the mothers were discussed. There were three speakers: Dr. Reinhard, the district state health officer, Mrs. Charles Campbell and Mrs. Elberson.

Dr. Reinhard explained the purpose and use of serum, anti-toxin and the latest development, toxin anti-toxin, which is used for the prevention of diphtheria. He stated that the ideal time for its use on a child was at the age of about six months as when used at that time it afforded the highest percentage of immunity and that it amounts practically to immunity for life. He explained the Schick test, the purpose of which is to determine whether or not a person is immune from diphtheria. Dr. Reinhard does not advise the use of toxin anti-toxin in the case of adults as if anti-toxin is given during the first day of the disease the fatalities are one per cent only, and the largest number of fatalities in cases of diphtheria occur in cases of children.

Mrs. Charles Campbell gave some very practical suggestions in sewing. She gave the following factors as those which should be considered in the selection of clothing: the wear, color, price, kind of material (a better grade of a cheaper material is much better than a cheaper grade of a better material), the purpose, the person intending to wear it, the preparation for use i. e. shrinking and setting the color. She gave a demonstration showing how to make a bound buttonhole and a durable placket.

Mrs. Elberson spoke in a very picturesque way on child companionship in different countries and foreign methods valuable to our own child training. The fact that Mrs. Elberson had lived in each of the countries discussed by her helped to make her talk exceedingly interesting. She spoke of her experiences as a teacher in Edinborough at first of the better class and then of the poorer class. She spoke of the way in which the children there observed the Sabbath very strictly and of their thrift as things which we can learn from them. She spoke of the careful bringing up of the girls of France and how they are taught many of the finer things of life and are carefully guarded.

There was also an entertainment consisting of music and recitations and at the conclusion of the program the members of the club who belong to the First Presbyterian church served refreshments in the church parlors.

MURDER MYSTERY SPOILED.

And Thereon Hangs a Tale That Would Do Credit to Munchausen.

When a motorist phoned to police headquarters late last evening that he had heard shots while near the Junction and had discovered a man lying in a ditch on the Winnie hill road a few minutes later, it appeared to the officers and to Star representatives that a real murder mystery might be in process of development. Scores of people rushed to the scene and The Star men investigated the situation thoroughly and here is what they discovered, or rather heard, to be the cause and result of the fracas:

Two men, names and antecedents unknown, accosted two farmer lads, whose identity is also clouded in mystery, on the Winnie Hill road and promised them a liberal reward if they would go to the carnival grounds and return without delay heavy laden with sandwiches. The juvenile agriculturists did the bidding of the persuasive strangers and when they had deposited their burdens in eager hands were rewarded by shots fired over their heads and stern commands to go and stand not upon the order of their going. One of them, seeking shelter from the relentless villains, lay him down in the ditch and was there observed by the hawkeyed motorist.

As Ripley says: "Believ it or not."

Bordinger-Burrows Wedding.

Frank Bordinger and Mrs. Mary Yager Burrows, both of Oneonta, were married at 2:30 Monday afternoon in Binghamton by Rev. h. J. Rines, pastor of the Ogden Methodist Episcopal church in the latter city. The marriage took place in the parsonage of the Ogden church, bride and groom being attended by Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fisher of Binghamton. The bride was tastefully attired in grey georgette crepe over grey silk messaline, with picture hat to match.

Following the ceremony a wedding luncheon was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fisher, 5 Miller street, after which Mr. and Mrs. Bordinger departed on a short wedding trip, returning from which they will be at home at Oneonta Plains. Both are well known residents of Oneonta with many friends to wish them happiness.

Plains Star Class to Entertain.

The Star class of the Oneonta Plains Methodist Episcopal church will entertain the mothers and fathers of the community and church in the church parlors Friday evening, May 9. Rev. Willard Alger, pastor of the church will be present and give an address. Refreshments will be served and a silver collection taken for the benefit of the class. All are invited to attend.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Clace, surrogate of the County of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Alice C. Armstrong, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned administrator of the said deceased, at his office in the Hartwick National bank in the village of Hartwick, in said county, on or before the 28th day of October next.

Dated April 23rd, 1924.

ORA W. HURLOCK
Administrator.

W. O. Hinterseiter,
Attorney for Administrator,
Cooperstown, N. Y.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Clace, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having claims against the estate of Julia Miller, deceased, late of the city of Oneonta, in said county, that they are required to exhibit the same, with vouchers thereof, to the undersigned administratrix of the estate of the said deceased, at the law office of George L. Gibbs, in the city of Oneonta, in said county, on or before the 27th day of August, next.

Dated February 4, 1924.

ETTA CURRIER,
Administratrix.

George L. Gibbs,
Attorney for administratrix,
Oneonta, New York.

Personal

Mrs. Mary Gordon of 253 Main street, this city, is spending a few days in Albany.

Miss Laura Mahar of Binghamton is a guest of Mrs. Florence Lance, Cherry street.

Mrs. T. M. Loveland and Mrs. Willard Knapp of this city spent Wednesday in Albany.

Mrs. George W. Norton of Dietz street is visiting her sister, Mrs. William Hughson, in Norwich.

Mrs. Harry Cook of 1 Center street left yesterday morning for Albany, where she will remain for a few days.

Miss Mildred Burton, a student of the Oneonta State Normal school, is spending the balance of the week at her home in Salem.

Hon. and Mrs. David F. Wilber and son, David Forest, Jr., are away for a motor trip to Utica, expecting to be absent a couple of days.

Mrs. Ella Elliott of Delhi was in Oneonta yesterday on her way to visit her niece, Miss Isabell Birdsall, who is a teacher in the Schenectady schools.

Mrs. C. H. Hayward of North Harpersfield, was in Oneonta yesterday on her way to visit her daughter, the wife of Rev. J. W. Bronson of Center Moreland, Pa.

Mrs. Mary J. Groat of Schenectady, was a week-end guest at the home of George E. Bond in Laurens. Mrs. Groat is also visiting relatives and friends in this city.

Rev. M. Hunter of Scranton, Pa., passed through Oneonta yesterday on his way to Springfield, Mass., where he will attend the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church.

Mrs. W. S. Davis and Mrs. Fred Wilber of Boston, Mass., left for home Wednesday morning after a week spent with their brother, August Otto of 306 Chestnut street, who is quite seriously ill.

Mrs. Harry Lance and daughter, Betty of 16½ West street, left Wednesday morning for Corinth, where they will be guests for a few weeks of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Forte, who are the parents of Mrs. Lance.

Miss Alice V. Newton, superintendent of the Nurses' Training school at Clifton Springs, who had been attending a state convention in Albany, stopped off in Oneonta yesterday for a brief visit with her mother and sister, Mrs. Viola D. Newton, and Mrs. Irving H. Rowe.

Dr. Augustus S. Downing of Albany, assistant commissioner of education and director of professional education for the state of New York, was in Oneonta for a few minutes yesterday enroute to Binghamton, where in the afternoon he addressed the Sixth District Dental association on the Dental law.

The many friends of Julian Crippen of 382 Main street will be pleased to know that, after being confined to the house since last September by an attack of rheumatism, he was able to be upon the street for a short time yesterday afternoon. With favorable weather it is hoped that he will make rapid recovery.

Card of Thanks.

Our splendid friends, you came to us with wonderful kindness when we needed you most. We will ever think of you gratefully and with real affection.

Erle A. Smith,
Harriet M. Smith.

All union barber shops will, commencing May 12th, open at 8 a. m. and close at 6 p. m., except Saturday, 9 p. m., until further notice. advt 5t

Ira S. Sweet, practical bonesetter, at the Windsor, Oneonta, June 2. National hotel, Norwich, June 4. advt 1mo.

DEATH OF CLINTON ROOT.

Long-Period Resident for Many Years of Wells Bridge—Funeral Saturday Afternoon.

Unadilla, May 7. (Special).—Clinton Root died Tuesday, May 6, at his late home in Wells Bridge. He was the son of Lafayette and Harriett N. Root, and was born in the town of Laurens January 27, 1854, one of four sons, Melville, Adelbert, William E. and Clinton.

Mr. Root lived in the town of Laurens until about 30 years of age. He then engaged in business in Otego and in 1887 moved to Wells Bridge, where he had since resided. He was in the feed and coal business there at first, later buying a general store. He was a member of the Oneonta Grocery company until he retired about two years ago. Mr. Root was a Democrat and much interested in politics.

Mr. Root was married to Frankie Burnside in 1876, and to them were born two sons, Floyd and Seymour. Mrs. Root died about three years ago, and Floyd met sudden death in an accident at the Potter crossing near Unadilla last November. This was a terrible shock to his father, and his sorrow darkened his later life.

Mr. Root's illness was of about six weeks' duration, the last four of which he was confined to his bed. He has always been known as a successful and upright business man, pleasant socially, strictly reliable in every way, sympathetic and courteous always; kind and indulgent to his family which he loved devotedly.

The funeral will be held at the home Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, Rev. Mr. Hearst of the Methodist Episcopal church of Wells Bridge will officiate. Burial will be in Otego and the service will be in charge of the Elks.

Besides the son, Seymour L., of Wells Bridge, he is survived by a grandson, Lafayette G. Root, one brother, William Emmet Root of Unadilla, and several nephews and nieces.

Dies in Oneida.

Friends in this city will regret to learn of the death of Seymour B. Huyck, formerly of this city, who died on Friday last at his home in Oneida. Death was caused by typhoid pneumonia. He was about 60 years of age and is survived by his wife and one daughter, Ida, who resides at home. The funeral services were held on Monday. Among those in attendance at the service were Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Loveland of Oneonta and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Loveland of Cobleskill.

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Women's Silk Hose at $2.35
Full fashioned heavy weight Silk, 4 inch lisle garter top; colors: Black, cordovan and white, pair $2.35

Women's Silk Hose at $1.75
Fancy Seamless Pure Silk with raised self shadow stripe pattern: black only, pair . $1.75

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The Harbor of Akutan, Aleutian Islands, near Dutch Harbor, and 350 miles west of Chignik, in which section the search is under way for Major Martin, missing leader of the round-the-world air racers, and Sergeant Alva Harvey, his mechanic. This point is a whaling station with the Akutan volcano in the background.

THE CHILDREN'S FARM

INSTITUTION DOING AN EXCELLENT WORK SAVING THE CHILDREN

Annual Report of Accomplishments During the Past Year with Summary of Contributions — Home Needs $2,000 for Present Year — Need for $500 is Immediate.

It has been said that the wisest way to empty asylums and penitentiaries is to begin with the children. If we could give every child that is born to wretched surroundings, ignorance and neglect, a chance to grow up in sunshine and fresh air with love and intelligent care, the state would be saved thousands of dollars now spent on its wards, the criminal, the insane and deficient. Prevention is the best cure. The beginning of this wise form of economy has been started in Otsego county by the Children's Farm.

In the spring of 1923, through the generosity of Mr. and Mrs. William T. Hyde, a pleasant, commodious farmhouse was provided as temporary shelter and home for the children separated from their parents by the courts and awarded to the care of the county. The farm has been furnished and endowed by friends and with the aid of the county funds for food, it has completed its existence of eleven months. Thirty-six children have received its sheltering care and a gifted, motherly woman found as a housemother, and the result has been most encouraging. There the children receive medical examination, my defects are corrected, glasses applied if eyes are weak. They are [illegible] clothed, fed and loved, and sent to school if old enough. When homes are found for them by Miss Trout, the county agent for the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children, the children are in a normal, healthy condition to go to the new homes. Their stay in the Children's Farm has been from one wek to eleven months, and the ages from one year to 16. The highest gain in weight of any one child was ten pounds; the highest gain in one month two and one-half pounds.

The success of the work has demonstrated the need of its continuance, and it is dependent for its existence on gifts of interested friends in the county. It is hoped that the friends who were interested last year will renew their contributions for $5, $10, $25, $50 and $100 or more, according to their means. The need of $500 is immediate, as there was but $34.24 in the treasury April 9th. The county allows $4.00 a week for each child, but the cost of maintenance comes to twice that amount, about $3,000. It is evident that $2,000 will be needed by subscription. From $1,000 to $1,-500 can be counted on from the county. There will also be need of gifts of clothing, household linen, vegetables and fruit, both preserved and fresh.

The house was completely furnished by generous gifts. Separate rooms were equipped by the Woman's clubs of Oneonta and Edmeston, and by the Knox school. On the second floor there are four bright, sunny bedrooms with three single beds in each for the children. On the first floor there is a dining room, kitchen, play and sitting room, bathroom and a bedroom for the housemother. The plumbing was renovated and a furnace donated. Contributions were gratefully received of fruits, vegetables, jellies, Christmas gifts, clothing for the children, household linen, china and kitchen utensils.

If the pledges for yearly donations would be sent in promptly the maintenance of the work would be established, and those who are in charge could continue without any anxiety as to where the funds were coming from. It is hoped that every village and town will make the maintenance of the Children's Farm its particular charge and that the work will continue and grow. In addition to the children awarded by the courts it is hoped that during the coming summer we may again take care of some fresh air children from the city.

On May 1st the house was opened for the children. Fifteen directors were appointed: Mrs. W. T. Hyde of Cooperstown, Miss Florence Wardwell of Springfield Center, Mrs. U. G. Welch of Edmeston, Mrs. L. P. Butts and Mrs. Harry W. Lee of Oneonta, Mrs. John D. Cary, Richfield Springs; Mrs. Charles C. Flaesch, Unadilla; Mrs. Russell Houghton, Mrs. Harris L. Cooke, Mrs. E. D. Boden, Mrs. G. R. Sill, Mrs. William G. Soekland, Mrs. C. G. Tennant, Mrs. A. A. Pierson and Mrs. W. I. Smith of Cooperstown.

The following officers were elected:
President—Mrs. W. T. Hyde.
Vice President—Mrs. L. P. Butts.
Secretary—Mrs. Harris L. Cooke.
Treasurer—Mrs. W. I. Smith.

Cash contributions were given as follows:

Mr. Wardwell	$ 50.00
Mrs. Lewis Morris	100.00
Mrs. Stephen Clark	100.00
Jane Burnett Lunger	10.00
Winifred H. Burnett	10.00
A. M. W. Ford	10.00
Robert Sterling Clarke	100.00
Knox School	73.66
S. L. Warrin	10.00
Geo. H. White board Fresh Air Children	16.00
Benefit card party, Oneonta Woman's club	65.00
Worcester Literary club	10.00
Through Mrs. Monte Cone:	
Unadilla Woman's club	15.00
Four Unadilla churches $5 each	20.00
Unadilla Branch Red Cross	15.00
Woman's club, Oneonta	50.00
Red Cross, Cooperstown	100.00
Woman's club, Schenevus	10.00
Tithers' association, First M. E. church, Oneonta	35.00
Benefit for Farm	191.80
Cooperstown Woman's club	150.00
Mrs. Chas. Evans' Sunday School class, Richfield Spa	10.00
Christmas fund	94.75
Oneonta Rotary club, board of Fresh Air children	16.00
Red Cross, Richfield Spa	15.00
Aid society, East Springfield	10.00
Mrs. Chas. C. Flaesch, collected town of Unadilla	50.00
Gould Zion Episcopal church, Morris	10.00
First M. E. church, Unadilla, through Mrs. Charles C. Flaesch	5.00
Sent in by Mrs. Cary from Mrs. Harry Derrick	1.00
Contributed by Mrs. Cary	24.00
Total contributions	$1,405.85

TREASURER'S REPORT

Eleven Months' Report of Children's Farm.

Receipts.

From voluntary contributions	$1,281.85
Children's board	1,375.85
Miscellaneous	109.46
Total receipts	$2,867.16

Expenditures.

Groceries and milk	$1,412.31
Laundry	251.14
Coal	260.36
Salaries	434.50
Plumbing, repairs, etc.	249.23
Children's clothing, drugs and misc.	255.34
Total amount expended	$2,862.88
Balance on hand April 9, 1924	4.28
Contributed by Mrs. John Carey, Richfield Spa	24.00
Refund on furnace	5.96
	$34.24

List of people from whom vegetables were received: Thomas Cunningham, Middlefield Center; Leo McCracy, Westford; I. Schneider, Oneonta; Owen Meyers, Delhi; Ira Vaughn, Worcester; John Bush, Worcester; Gifford Mabi, Worcester; Fred Wade, Worcester; Mr. Hamilton, Worcester; Allen Shumway, Cooperstown; Jasper Finch, Edmeston; Dana Whipple, Cooperstown; Frank Smith, Springfield; Mr. Chamberlain, Richfield; Garret Robertson, Richfield; Floyd Putnam, Worcester; Ralph Mabie, Worcester; Edwin Hunt, Worcester. Jellies, jams, etc., were given by the women of Cooperstown.

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12 COWS DIE OF STARVATION

LELAND SQUIRE OF SOUTH WORCESTER CONVICTED OF CRUELTY

Had Cruelly Neglected His Dairy. At First Claimed That They Had Been Poisoned — Finally Pleads Guilty and Sentenced to 60 Days in County Jail — Four Additional Cows Killed to End Misery.

One of the worst cases of cruelty to animals since the Otsego County society was organized was discovered yesterday at the trial of Leland Squire of South Worcester, before Justice Harold Bellew of that township. The man had demanded a jury trial but before the evidence was completed he withdrew his plea of not guilty and entered one of guilty and was sentenced to the Otsego county jail for 60 days.

Mrs. W. T. Hyde of Cooperstown, county agent of the society, visited the barns of Squire on March 26th, and found that he then had some 31 cows and a bull and there was no hay on the premises. Two of the cows were so weak that they could not stand. Squire alleged that he was about to start out to buy some hay when the agent arrived there. She accepted his assurance that he would secure food for the animals. She returned, however, on March 29th, and there was no hay but he insisted that he had secured some to tide him over and was going out that day after more.

Further complaints coming relative to Squire, Mrs. Hyde on May 3rd, went again to the farm and learned that 12 of the cows had died and there was not hay enough in all the buildings for one feeding of those alive and no grain. Accordingly under her direction, Squire was arrested on a cruelty charge by Troopers Ross and Devaie and taken before Justice Bellew. The accused claimed that his cattle had not been starved, but had been poisoned. He plead not guilty and demanded a jury trial. The case was set down for May 7.

Yesterday at 10 o'clock when the case was moved, Attorney William G. McRorie of Milford appeared for Squire and C. G. Tennant of Cooperstown for the society. Dr. Marsh of Cooperstown, who was called by the society said that he had examnied the cattle and declared that they were in a terribly starved condition. Dr. Stevens of Stamford also testified for the defendant, but would not testify that the cattle had been poisoned and admitted that they were weak.

Squire then decided to plead guilty and the sentence stated above was imposed. Dr. Marsh yesterday killed three additional cows and on Monday Mrs. Hyde put one out of its misery without waiting for the outcome of the trial. The 15 remaining will be cared for.

On the visit to the farm on Monday Mrs. Hyde found the 12 cows that had died and two dead horses piled together in a back pasture. By her direction they have been buried and well covered with earth.

While farmers have been pressed for hay this spring there is certainly no excuse for such cruelty and Mrs. Hyde is to be commended for her prosecution of the case.

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Delaware County News

HER TENTH BIRTHDAY

Nine Little Maids of South Kortright, Delightfully Entertained.

South Kortright, May 7. — Monday afternoon Mrs. R. Earl Cotton asked to her home nine little girls, school chums of Miss Dorothy, who was ten years old and was having a birthday party. Games were played, stories told and a delightful supper served to the kiddies, a large lighted birthday cake, bringing great joy to their eyes. The little girls attending were: Margaret Davidson, Helen and Margaret Winters, Marion Davis, Naomi Pogue, Thedora Carson, Kathleen Watson, Doris Barnhart, Bertha Brown, and Miss Dorothy. Miss Rosemary McMullin helped amuse the youngsters and serve the supper.

Visit in Oneonta.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Turner were business callers at Oneonta Monday.

William S. Nesbitt and family were in Oneonta Tuesday, also Mrs. R. Earl Cotton and brothr, Everette Stisser.

The services of the Rev. Mr. Monroe, a delegate to our local church, are being well received by the congregation. Many should attend Sunday morning services.

Sprains Ankle.

Our junior school teacher, Miss Helen Craft of Stamford, had the misfortune to sprain her ankle and is limping about, loyal though to her duties and the youngsters.

NORTH FRANKLIN NEWS.

Oulcout Grange Holds Regular Meeting Thursday Night.

North Franklin, May 7. — There will be a meeting of the Oulcout grange on Thursday evening of this week.

Ladies' Aid Dinner.

The Ladies' Aid society will hold a meeting and serve a dinner today.

No Home Bureau Meeting.

It was decided not to have a meeting to make hats for the Home bureau this month.

Visiting from Albany.

Mrs. Olive Mayham of Albany is visiting at B. W. Boyce's.

DEATH AT BLOOMVILLE.

Mrs. Arthur R. Dibble Dies Friday—Funeral Sunday Afternoon.

Bloomville, May 7.—Barbara Jane Thomson, wife of Arthur R. Dibble of this village, died on Friday last after several weeks serious illness. The funeral services were held at the home on Sunday at 1 o'clock and burial was in Riverside cemetery.

The deceased, whose whole life had been spent in Bloomville, was born December 9, 1869, and was a daughter of Thomas Thomson. She was married September 12, 1900, to A. R. Dibble, who survives her with six children, Andrew, aged 23; Evelyn, 22; Ada, 18; Ralph, 14, Herman 9, and Marjorie, seven years of age.

Mrs. Dibble was a most estimable, home loving woman with many friends who will lament her death and will sympathize with the husband and children so greatly bereaved.

MRS. DEGRAFF WILL SPEAK

W. C. T. U. Worker Will Address Hobart Women Thursday and Students Friday.

Hobart, May 7. — Mrs. DeGraff, a state worker for W. C. T. U., will speak at a community meeting at the Methodist Episcopal church on Thursday evening at 7:30. This will take the place of the mid-week prayer service in both churches. Come out to hear her message if possible. She will also speak to the pupils of the High school Friday morning at the chapel exercises.

Personals.

W. E. King is in Rochester, where he attends the State Telephone convention. — Miss Gladys Graves is out again after an attack of tonsilitis. — Rev. and Mrs. Hannum were callers in Stamford Wednesday.

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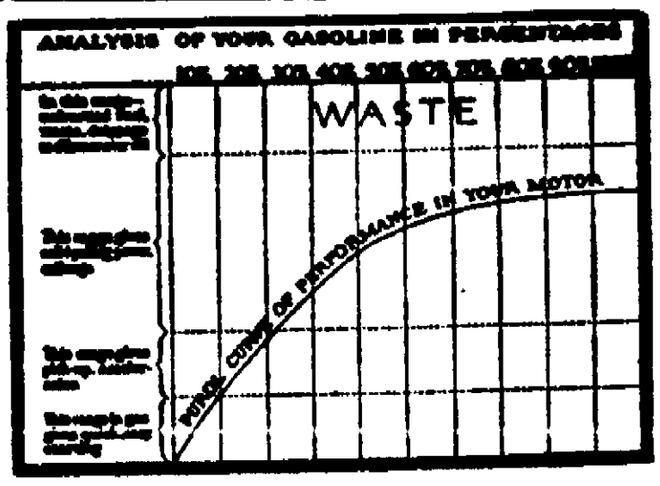

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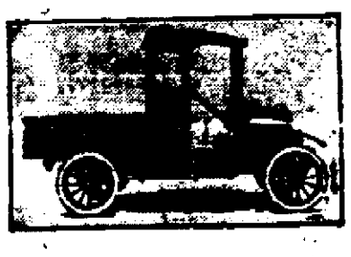

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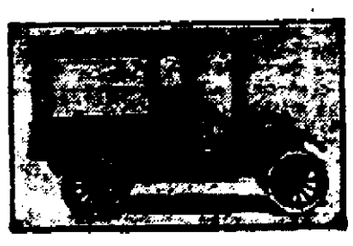

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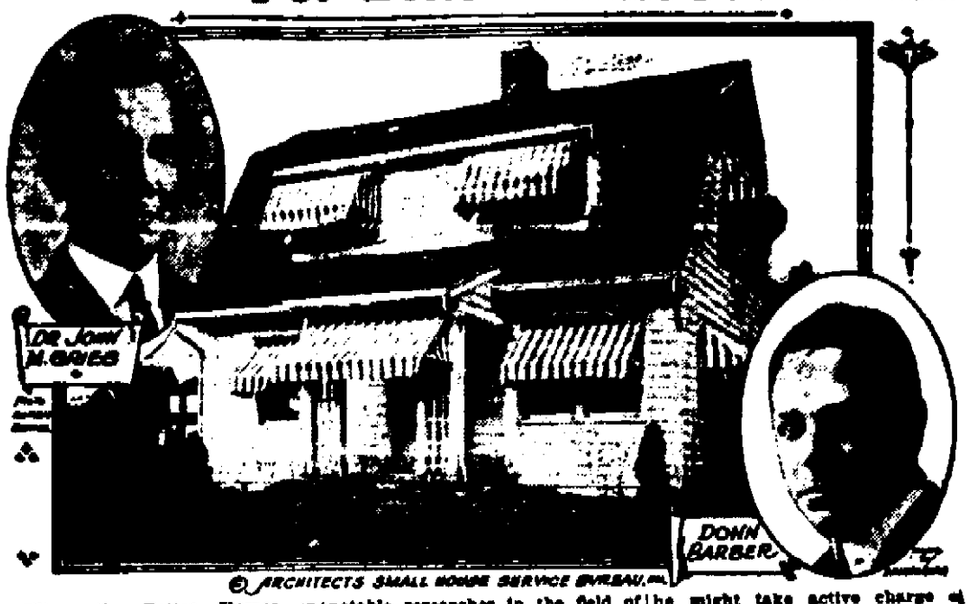

When the Better Homes in America movement was inaugurated three years ago, some five hundred communities scattered throughout the country competed for the awards. The next year about double that number took part, and many communities had two or three demonstration homes entered. Hamilton, Ohio, had three, one of which is shown above. This house received honorable mention in 1923 from the judging board. Donn Barber, shown above, is a noted New York architect and a Fellow of the American Institute of Architects. He is also a member of the Board of Directors of Better Homes in America. Dr. John M. Gries, whose picture is also shown, is in charge of notable researches in the field of housing, being chief of the Division of Building and Housing of the Department of Commerce. Dr. Gries is also treasurer of Better Homes in America.

The aim of Better Homes in America is to increase the number and the quality of American homes. While one of its major aims is the encouragement of thrift for home owning, the scope of its activities extends, in an educational way, to every phase of home making.

The movement is entirely non-commercial in character, being supported entirely by public gifts, which have already been largely assured. The movement was entirely reorganized early this year. Harvard University granted a special leave of absence to Dr. James Ford, of its faculty, in order that he might take active charge of Better Homes in America. Headquarters, formerly in New York, are now in Washington, at 1653 Pennsylvania Avenue.

The movement culminates each year in "Better Homes Week", for which the period from May 11 to 18 has been designated this year. There is every reason to believe that the effort to aid American families to get everything possible out of the home, from the standpoints of economy, comfort and beauty, will reach many hundreds of new communities this year. Special stress is being laid upon the home for families of small or moderate means, and a special effort is being made to extend the movement to the rural sections of the country as well as the cities, towns, and villages.

HOME DECORATION

Miss Freeborn Writes on Topic Interesting to Those Owning Their Own Homes

Art Instructor of Public Schools Contributes Authoritative and Interesting Articles on Various Phases of Home Decorating — Discusses Furniture, Wall Decorations, Pictures, Floor Coverings and Other Important Details.

(By Lena O. Freeborn)

The subject of Home Decoration is one in which an increasing number of people are becoming vitally interested. Especially is this true of people who own their homes. Because of the feeling of permanency, more thought is naturally put upon the finishing and furnishing of the house. It has been said that the decoration of the home is a matter of right thinking rather than expense. A humble cottage may be beautiful, while a palace may be ugly. To be beautiful a house must first of all present a pleasing and restful appearance. Simplicity, order, cleanliness, and harmony are the keynotes of such a result.

Ruskin says: "We cannot arrest sunsets or carve mountains, but we may turn every home, if we choose, into a picture which will be no counterfeit, but the true and perfect image of life indeed."

One of the first considerations of an interior should be the way in which the rooms open into each other. A simple unified effect may be obtained by choosing color schemes which, if not the same, are harmonious. In small interiors the same color throughout gives a feeling of greater space. The ceiling should be the lightest in tone, the walls next, and the floor darkest. Plain wall papers or paper with small figures nearly equal in value give a better background for pictures and furniture than walls which are bright in color or have conspicuous patterns. The apparent size of a room is increased by having the walls light in color.

The amount of light in a room should influence the color scheme. A room with a southern exposure may be furnished with cool colors—those tending toward yellow, red and orange—while a room on the north side might well have the warm colors predominate—those tending toward yellow, red and orange.

The woodwork should conform to the color scheme of the walls, but should be slightly darker. It is not in good taste if dark and presenting a highly polished or varnished surface.

For sanitary reasons, especially, bare floors and rugs are more desirable than carpets and matting. The effect of the floor covering should be somewhat darker than the walls. A very shining surface should be avoided in a wood floor. Select rugs, either domestic or Oriental, which do not attract attention to themselves by bright colors, or large, restless, swirling designs, making the floor appear to rise up, but rather those with closely related tones and subdued colors which knit together quietly the colorings of all the other furnishings. All rug and carpet designs, like wall decorations, should be flat, geometric or conventional. Pictures on rugs are out of place. One does not wish to tread on roses, bouquets, or dogs. When in doubt, choose plain wall papers and plain rugs.

Curtains tend to soften the outlines of windows. Like wall coverings and rugs, they should not attract attention to themselves by large patterns, but if made of thin, washable material with a small figure or neat border and hung straight so as to conform to the general lines of the openings, they serve to soften the light from without and add a touch of cosiness and privacy from the outside world. Fringes and tassels should be avoided as they serve only to catch dust. There is no excuse for window curtains reaching to the floor—as well buy chairs with backs seven feet high—nor should they be so short as to allow the lower hem to show from the outside. They should reach about to the lower edge of the window casing. Portiers made from ropes, beads, bamboo, shells, spools, buttons, string beans, etc., serve no purpose, merely illustrating a craving for novelty.

Selection of Furniture.

In selecting a piece of furniture or any other article for use, ask yourself these questions:

Will this article be consistent with its surroundings?

For what purpose is it to be used?

Will it serve this purpose in a simple, honest, straight-forward manner?

Is the material appropriate to the use?

Is it desirable?

Is it pleasing and restful to the eye in line and color?

If decorated, does the decoration improve it or would it be more useful if it were plain?

Every article in the house, as well as the house itself, should ring true to fitness to purpose, harmony of color, and in appropriate decoration. The construction should be honest and strong, the shape being a frank acknowledgement of its use, but it need not be clumsy. Fancy and fantastic shapes are usually weak in construction. Gentle curves soften the lines of construction and need not weaken the article. Decoration should follow or fit the structural shape. Wood carving is beautiful if good in design and executed by hand in wood of little grain, but better no decoration than an imitation done by machinery and glued in place. Colonial furniture is not valuable because it is old, but because it is good in material, design, and workmanship.

Few picture in a room and these an inspiration should be the rule. The living room should have pictures that guests will enjoy, while the bedroom may contain the family portraits and photographs. As good originals are too costly, hang in the living room inexpensive reproductions of masterpieces. Besides the many low-priced but good prints for sale, there are many magazine pictures representing the work of old and new masters, that, neatly framed, are attractive for small spaces. "Fancy heads" are generally insipid. Avoid all depressing and funny pictures. They grow tiresome.

Think of wall spaces as precious where, if any, only worthy pictures may hang. Better an empty panel than a picture of no real value which is merely a space filler. Empty spaces of good proportion are dignified and restful.

A picture hung horizontally will not look as well in a vertical wall panel as one that is hung vertically. A few good sized pictures are more attractive in a large room than many small ones. In a small room hang small pictures. If the picture wires must show, they should hang vertically to agree with the other vertical lines of the room, because diagonal lines make a triangle with the top of the picture and lead the eye away from the picture to the hook. Pictures should not be hung on a wall diagonally in steps, but instead, horizontally or vertically. When two good sized pictures are hung on one wall, place them so that the top edges or bottom edges are on the same horizontal line. When three or more pictures form a group, the central one may hang a trifle higher than the others. Pictures should hang flat against the wall and not too high, usually so that the center of the picture or group of pictures is a little above the eye level. A small picture is hung below a large one. Avoid using in one room pictures that vary greatly in size. Sometimes, however, if pictures are not too small comparatively, a group of them may be so arranged as to balance, in a pleasing way, a large picture. In such a case, the upper or lower edges of the group may well be on a line with the upper or lower edges of the larger picture. A good way to plan the placing of a group of pictures is to arrange them on the floor in front of the wall under consideration. Be sure to allow some good sized portions of unobstructed wall space

Frame Pictures Artistically.

Ordinarily, pictures should have simple, comparatively flat mouldings. The frame is to show off the picture and not to call attention to itself by flourishes or color. A frame may well be the same color, but a darker tone of the color predominating in the picture. When the color of a picture is strong and rich, as in many oil paintings, a dull gold frame may be used. Oil paintings never require mats. Large pictures demand wider frames than small ones. In prints, when figures of the composition are large in space or extend to the edge of the picture, a mat may be required. In color a mat should generally repeat softly some important color in the picture. The frame should be a continuation of this, slightly darker. Beware of white mats for dark pictures. A mat should never be the same width as the frame. The lower portion of the mat should always be greater than the upper.

Pictures with delicate colors and subtle gradations of light and dark should be placed in strong light, while a picture with strong contrasts of light and dark may be placed in a much weaker light.

Sir Martin Conway has said: "He who looks at a fine picture, looks out of the world of every-day into the dreamland of all of the world's seers. For the time he uses not his own eyes, but the mind's eye of a Raphael, a Michelangelo, a Turner, or a Corot."

Small objects, although sometimes giving an accent of bright color, must be in harmony with the general scheme of the rooms. Vases for flowers should not be variegated or bright, but of unobtrusive color appropriate for their use. In all vases, lamps, jars and bowls, beware of many and weak handles, knobs and rippled tops. Handles are for greater ease in carrying and should be an integral part of the design, firmly attached and not breaking the general line. Decoration should emphasize and strengthen the appropriate structural shape of an object. A clock should have a plainly marked dial and simple, durable case. The test of fitness to purpose will make evident the inappropriateness of design of a glass match receiver in the shape of a slipper, a salt dish resembling a chicken, a pin cushion resembling a tomato, or a thermometer standing a deer's foot. More pleasing in fitness to purpose, possible beauty of color and simplicity of form is a vinegar jug, a butter crock, or a ginger jar.

The hardware, hinges, door knobs, and lighting fixtures should be carefully selected as to design, usually the simpler the better.

The placing of lights is important. Side lights are generally more useful and attractive than ceiling lights. If a room is low, ceiling lights, close to the ceiling, or side lights, will lend the appearance of greater height, but the long chandelier that hangs down from the center of the ceiling is ugly and greatly reduces a room's apparent size. A hall may be lighted by the indirect method, but for a living room, this even light throughout the room is unattractive and tiresome to the eyes. An open fire and the soft light from a reading lamp, with side light near the desk is light enough, restful, and with its attendant tracery of shadows lend interest and charm. Speaking of the open fire, one author has said that the center of the house should be a generous fireplace, the very heart of the house, around which the family can gather upon occasion and feel completely at home with itself. And Charles Dudley Warner once said that given a fireplace a second-rate artist can represent the family at home, but the best artist who ever lived cannot successfully paint the family at home around a register.

Unity of Arrangement.

Choose only the simplest lamp, candle, or side light shades. For these usually the most successful material is silk or parchment. Let these be of a color that will harmonize with the rest of the room.

Pictures on sofa pillows are out of place. Like wall, rugs and curtains, they should be simple in design and serve their purpose in a straightforward manner.

In order to have a feeling of unity in the arrangement of the furnishings of a room, one article must by its relative position to the others, show that it has been considered of greater importance. The fireplace may be the center of interest in the living room with comfortable chairs close by—a piano in the music room, with music cabinet at hand—the dining table in the dining room—the bed in the bedroom. A living room should be a hospitable place, a hall dignified and formal, a [illegible] restful. In the dining room introduce no rival interests in a collection of curios or souvenirs or an ostentatious display of cut glass or china. The function of this room is not a "show room" and the attention should not be continually called away from the table.

All furniture should be arranged in a convenient and orderly way, following the general lines of the walls. Refrain from placing furniture, possibly excepting chairs, diagonally with the walls of a room. Rugs should be placed on a floor so that the edges of the rugs are parallel to the walls. If placed in the center of the room, several small rugs tend to break up the floor space, giving a cluttered effect.

Morris says, "Have nothing in your homes which you do not know to be useful or believe to be beautiful."

William Price has said: "Its walls shall be the quiet background for the loveliness of life — its implements, from kitchenware to dressing table, touched by the sane and hallowed hand of purpose and taste."

While Ruskin says, "And therefore these are the things that I have first and last to tell you—that the fine arts are not learned by locomotion, but by making the homes we live in lovely and by staying in them."

In compiling the foregoing, I acknowledge indebtedness to Charlotte Wait Calkins in her book on Home Planning and Furnishing and to Fred Hamilton Daniels in his book "The Furnishing of a Modest House."

As supervisor of art in the public schools of the city, I wish to say that a brief course in Home Decoration is given in the eighth grades, the children making notebooks and illustrating the principles by magazine cutouts. I have reason to believe that the influence has been felt in many homes.

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SEASONAL PRICES—On truck load coming from New York, some time in May; also have room for small load going to New York. Lewis Thayer, 12½ Chestnut street. Phone 589-J.

MAN—Middle aged, wishes work of any kind by day or week. Prefer single horse driving. Phone 241-J.

DRESSMAKING—Ladies' and children's dresses and coats; embroidery; reasonable prices. 433 Chestnut street.

EMPTY TRUCK — Returning from New York May 15, reasonable price on load that way. Sherman's garage. Phone 886-F.

WANTED—To take care of children evenings. Phone 323-R.

WANTED—Carpets and rags to weave. Reduced prices during May. Mrs. Lounsbury. Phone 125-W2.

WASHINGS AND IRONINGS WANTED—Also wet washing; will call for and deliver. Call or write, Kim Barney, lower Plains, Otego, N. Y., R. D. 2.

ASHES DRAWN—Or any work with ton truck. 1 East End avenue. Phone 1066-J.

LARGEST TRUCK IN CITY—For long or short hauls. Phone 830-J. M. Johnson.

LACE CURTAINS LAUNDERED—92 Center street. L. Kenyon. Phone 653-W.

WANTED — Dressmaking. Inquire Mrs. Joe Conklin, 12½ Baker street.

HARVEY'S TRUCKING SERVICE—Long and short hauls. Phone 1183-W. Prompt attention to orders.

ACCOUNTANT—C. W. Feasey, 200 Court street, Binghamton. Phone 2591.

LOOK AND LISTEN — All kinds of blacksmith work done. Automobile bodies built or repaired. Specialty on automobile spring repairing. Inquire Kelley's garage, River street.

PHONOGRAPH REPAIRING—Work done by mechanic, years experience. Inquire 75 Main street. Phone 447-J2 or 524 W.

ASHES DRAWN — H. Bolles. Phone 1962-J2.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—May 5, between Oneonta and Fort Sheldon's above West Oneonta or on road to Mill Creek, a seamless cotton bag containing wearing apparel. Address G. W. Bowers, Otego, R. D. 4.

LOST—Silk mesh bag containing a little over $2.00. Reward because bag is keepsake. Return to Star office.

LOST — Child's bonnet shaped, light straw hat, trimmed in blue, in Oneonta theatre Saturday night. Finder please leave at Star office.

LOST—Fox hound, white, black and tan markings, lost at Emmons crossing. Owner's name on dollar. Reward if returned to owner.

BOARDERS WANTED

WANTED — Boarders and roomers. 15 River street. Phone 867-J.

ROOMERS AND BOARDERS WANTED—Also rooms for light housekeeping. 56 Main street.

ONE CENT A WORD

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

TWO FAMILY HOUSE—For sale or suite of rooms to rent on Riverside drive, Sidney. Inquire of C. A. Angell, Oneonta.

FOR SALE—Vacant lot and four acres of land with large henhouse, on Catherine street, Mohawk. Inquire of C. A. Angell, Oneonta.

HOME BARGAINS—Six rooms and bath, central, $4,000; seven rooms and bath, central, $3,800; ten rooms and bath, fine location, $7,200; seven rooms and bath, two-car garage, Elm street, $5,500; ten rooms, all improvements, Elm street, $6,000; double house, extra lot, Maple street, $8,000; new double house, paved street, $9,000; seven rooms and bath, Spruce street, $4,200; double house, Main street, $9,500; several at West End, $3,000; Chestnut street, six rooms, all improvements, garage, $3,000. Call me before you buy. A. C. Leslie, 313 Main street.

FOR SALE—A nine-room house with all improvements, four hundred feet from Main street, 1½ acre of ground, fruit and shade. Inquire at 15 Lutner street, between 9 a. m. and 2 p. m.

ESTABLISHED SHOE REPAIR SHOP—Fully equipped, modern machinery. Must sell at once. Bargain, investigate. F. E. Hunt, Unadilla.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Eight rooms and bath, hot water heat, large lot, $5,100; six rooms and bath, new cottage, $4,800, $500 down; seven rooms and bath, large lot, central, $5,000, $500 down, balance easy payments; two building lots, fine bargains, well located, $350 each; up-to-date well equipped restaurant, doing a fine business, $4,500 takes it; seven rooms and bath, extra lot, very central, $6,300, $1,000 down, worth $7,500, but for quick sale owner will sacrifice. Here is a bargain. Six rooms and bath, hard wood floors and trim, well built modern home, $5,200, $1,000 down. John M. St. Clair, real estate, 12½ Washington street. Phone 75-J.

FOR SALE—36 Fairview street, nine rooms, bath, laundry, electric lights, furnace, two toilets, double garage, chicken house, immediate possession. Credit to approved parties. Lynn W. Hathaway.

GOODNESS, GRACIOUS, SUGAR — Ripe good home with seven rooms and all improvements, central, only $4,100, cash $500. Act quick for bargain. We have them now. Square Deal agency, 143 Main street.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Two-family, toilets, convenient for railroad man, $3,600; two-family, electricity, toilets, convenient for railroad man, $4,100; two-family, all improvements, double garage, Chestnut street, $6,500; three-family, improvements, renting $70 monthly, $6,500; seven rooms and bath, nearly new, all improvements, near Chestnut street school, $5,300; eight rooms and bath, all improvements, double garage, central, $6,500; seven rooms and bath, all improvements, double garage, large lot, central, $7,000; large boarding house, near Normal, to exchange for small house; nearly new home, all improvements, garage, Chestnut street, West End. Charles Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta.

FURNISHED ROOMS

TO RENT—Nicely furnished room with all conveniences. 6 Central avenue. Phone 154-W.

TO LET—Neat, clean, furnished housekeeping rooms, private bath, central location, rent low, modern improvements. 15 Franklin street.

FURNISHED ROOM — To rent, second floor, 234 Main street.

TO RENT—Three furnished rooms, gas, electric lights and bath, private entrance. Phone 831-W.

TO RENT—Furnished rooms, airy, sunny, with board if desired. 31 River street. O. C. Kelly.

TO RENT—Three-room furnished apartment, very pleasant with all conveniences. Garage if desired. References required. Phone 747-J.

NICE PLEASANT ROOMS—With board required, for man and wife and single man. Address 8-2, care Star.

FURNISHED ROOM—For gentlemen, at 24 Dietz street.

TO RENT — Clean, furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 342 M.

TO RENT — Two furnished rooms with private bath, combination coal and gas range, electricity. References required. Inquire Ceperley & Morgan, 198 Main street.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Phone 850-W.

WANTED—Roomers, sewing at home or out by the day. Call or address 27 Cherry street.

WANTED—Roomers at 28 Grand street.

FURNISHED ROOMS—For light housekeeping. 6 High street.

FURNISHED ROOM — All conveniences, new home and furnishings, best residential section. Phone 985-J.

TO RENT — Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 34 West street.

TO RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping; also one furnished bedroom with parlor and outside entrance for one or two roomers. 21 Walling avenue. Inquire afternoons.

POULTRY, EGGS, ETC.

FOR SALE — English Leghorn baby chicks. 200 and 300 egg strain. Carleton Poultry farm, Milford, N. Y.

BOUGH'S BABY CHICKS AFTER MAY 20TH—S. C. White and R. C. Brown Leghorns, $12.50 per hundred; $120 per thousand. Big reduction on other varieties. Impossible to secure better stock. Your satisfaction is our success. Catalog free. Bough Hatchery, Cazenovia, N. Y.

WANTED — Ducks, broilers and heavy fowls. Highest market price. Dunham & Wilber, 22 Myrtle avenue. Phone 502-J.

FOR SALE—Single Comb White Leghorn chicks, after May 15, at 20c each. Beaupont Poultry farms. H. E. Denny, Jefferson, N. Y.

EGGS—From 1200 mated "Parks Bred to Lay" Barred Rocks, $3.00 per setting. C. W. Trendwell, 6 Parish avenue. 2040-J.

FOR SALE—Baby chicks, eggs and incubators. Get our new prices. Illustrated booklet free. Empire Hatchery, Broward, N. Y.

PRICES DEVELOP LITTLE STRENGTH

However, Stocks Forfeit Most of Gains Later on Concentrated Selling Pressure

Brief Stock Review.

Total Stock sales 660,200 shares.

Twenty industrials averaged 93.-22; previous day 93.46.

High, 1924, 101.24; low, 90.28.

Twenty railroads averaged 83.-13; previous day 81.86.

High, 1924, 86.33; low, 81.60.

Brief Bond Review.

Total bond sales, par value $11,916,000.

Ten first grade rails averaged 87.07; previous day 86.97.

Ten secondary rails averaged 85.36; previous day 85.42.

Ten public utilities averaged 87.76, previous day 87.61.

Ten industrials averaged 93.66; previous day 93.73.

Combined average 88.46; previous day 88.44.

Combined average month ago 88.28; year ago 86.63.

New York, May 7. — Stock prices developed moderate strength in the early part of today's session, but forfeited most of their gains later when concentrated selling pressure was directed against the oils, particularly Sinclair. Trading was again relatively light in volume, total sales being slightly less than 650,000 shares.

Weakness of Sinclair, which established a new low record for the year at 18⅝ was based on unconfirmed reports that the company had lost its Russian concessions and rumors of new financing were officially denied. The stock closed at 19⅛, off one-half on the day. Marland, Cosden, and Phillips also closed fractionally lower, but the Pan-American issues and Mexican Seaboard each showed a net gain of about a point.

Except in the case of a few specialties, price movements in today's market were extremely narrow and irregular. Colorado Fuel and Iron was subjected to heavy selling, much of which probably represented profit taking, and dropped a little more than two points. On the other hand, Corn Products was pushed up three and one-half points and net gains of a point or more were registered by more than a dozen issues, including Brooklyn Union Gas and Central Leather preferred.

Most of the active rail shares showed small gains on the day. Chicago & Northwestern, Atlantic Coast Line, Rock Island six per cent preferred, and Omaha were among the few issues to close a point or so higher.

Investment buying of standard public utilities and high grade railroad issues imparted a firm tone to bond prices today. Mixed movements, however, took place in the industrial and speculative rail groups, the improvement in some issues being offset by decided heaviness in others.

New railroad financing occupied considerable attention in the bond market. The Seaboard Air Line, it was announced, would guarantee a $7,000,000 issue of 19-year seven-per cent bonds to finance construction of its projected southern Florida link, the Florida, Western and Northern railroad. Offering of the bonds is expected this week at a price slightly below par. Sale of the issue through banks not heretofore affiliated with the Seaboard, it was said, did not indicate a change in the control of the property. Bankers who are handling the Nickle Plate financing denied that a definite date had been set for offering the first issue of about $28,000,000 but intimated it would come sometime this month.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Air Red	76½	77½	76	76
Al Chem	73½	73½	72½	72½
Am B Sug	40½	40¾	40½	40¾
Am Ag Ch	8	8	8	8
Am Can	102¾	104¾	102¾	103¾
Am H & L pfd	54½	55	54½	54½
Am Int	23½	23¾	23	23½
Am Ice	88	88	88	88
Am Rad	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
Am Smtg	64¾	65¼	64¾	64¾
Am Sug	43¾	44½	42¾	43
Am T and T	125¾	126	125¾	126
Am Tob	144½	145	144½	145
Am W W	47½	47½	47½	47½
Am Wool	65½	66½	65½	65¾
Anaconda	32½	32¾	32½	32¾
Atchison	100¾	100¾	100½	100¾
AG and WI	16½	16¾	16½	16¾
Amo Oil	30	30	30	30
Bald Loco	113¾	113¾	112½	113
B and O	52	52½	52¼	52½
Beth Stl	49½	49¾	49½	49¾
B M T	14¾	15½	14¾	15½
do pfd	57½	58½	57¾	58½
Brk Edsn	115¾	116	115½	115½
Brk Union	63¾	63¾	63	63½
Cal Pet	23¾	24½	23½	23½
Can Pac	148	148½	148	148
C de Pasco	45¾	46½	45¾	45¾
Cent Leath	12½	12½	12½	12½
do pfd	40½	41½	40	41½
Ches and O	74¾	74¾	74¼	74½
CM and SP	14½	14½	14½	14½
do pfd	26¾	27	26	26½
Chic N W	51½	52¾	51½	52¾
Chan Mo	45½	45¾	45	46
Chino	16½	16¾	16¾	16¾
Chile	28½	28½	27¾	27¾
Coca Cola	65¾	66	65½	65½
Col Fuel	41¾	42¾	39	39½
Con Can	47¾	47¾	47½	47¾
Con Tex	3¾	3¾	3½	3½
Cosden	32	32½	29¾	31½
Cul Gas	35½	36½	35¾	35¾
Con Gas	65½	65¾	64¾	65
Cosden	49½	49½	39	39¾
Corn Pro	173¾	176¾	173¾	176¾
Corn P new	34¾	35½	34¾	35½
Cruc St	53½	53¾	53	53
Cuba C Sug	13½	13½	13½	13½
do pfd	58½	58¾	57¾	57¾
Cuba A Sug	32	32½	32	32
Dav Chem	52½	53	51¾	51¾
D L and W	116½	116½	116½	116½
Du Pont	197	197	194½	196½
Elec Stor	57½	57¾	57½	57¾
End John	59½	59½	59½	59½
Erie	25	25½	25	25½
do 1st pfd	32¾	33½	32¾	33
Fam Play	70½	70½	69½	69½
Fleisch	50½	50¾	50½	50½
Fish End	195	196	195	195
Fisk Tire	68	68	68	68
Free Tex	94	104	95	91
Gen Elec	220½	223½	220	220½
Gen Cig	83½	83½	83½	83½
Gen Mot	13½	13½	13½	13½
Gt Nor pfd	58	58½	57½	57½
do ore ctf	27½	27½	27½	27½
Gen Asph	36½	37	36	36
Gulf S St	69½	69	68	68
Hayes Wh	35½	36	35½	36½
Houst Oil	65½	65½	63½	66
Hupp Mot	12½	12½	12½	12½
Hud Mot	23	23	22	22
Int B M	92½	92½	92½	92½
Int Har	86½	87	86½	86½
Int Comb	23½	23½	23½	23½
Int Cap	25	25	24½	24½
Iron Prod	46½	46½	46	46½
Int Pap	30	30½	30	30½
Int Rap T	21½	21½	21½	22
I M M pfd	37½	37½	36½	36½
Invinct	12½	12½	12½	12½
Jut Nick	12	12	11½	12
Jones Ten	22½	22½	22½	22½
Kan City S	19½	20½	19½	19½
Kelly S T	15½	15½	15½	15½
Kenn Cop	29	29½	29	29
Lehigh V	41½	41½	41	41
Lima Loco	60	60½	60	60½
Loews Inc	16	16½	16	16½
Louis & N	91	91½	91	91½
Mallison	18½	20½	18½	20
May D S	87½	87½	87	87
Mack Tr	50½	51½	50½	51½
Marne Oil	28	28	28	28½
Marland O	32¾	33½	32½	32½
Maxwell A	43	43½	43	43½
Mex Sea	19½	20½	19½	20½
Miami	21½	21½	21½	21½
Miss K Tex	11	11½	11	11½
Mo Pac	12½	13½	12½	13½
do pfd	41½	41½	41	41½
Mont Ward	23½	23½	23½	23½
Moon Mot	19½	20	19½	20
Mother Lod	8	8	8	8
M S Oil	3½	3½	3½	3½
Nat Bis	52½	52½	52½	52½
Nat Enam	27	27	27	27
Nat Lead	131	132	131	131½
N Y Air B	40½	40½	40½	40½
N Y Cent	101½	102	101½	101½
NY & NH	19½	20½	19½	19½
Nev Con	13	13	13	13
Norf & W	123½	123½	123	123
North Am	24	24½	23½	23½
North Pac	52½	53	52½	53
Out West	16½	16½	16½	16½
Pac Oil	48½	49	48	48
P A Sug	56½	56½	56½	56½
Pan Am Pet	48½	49½	48½	49½
Pan Am B	46½	47½	46½	47½
Pack Mot	10½	10½	10½	10½
Penn Stl	1½	1½	1½	1½
Penn	44	44	43½	43½
Peo Gas	94	94	93½	94
Pere Mar	47½	49	47½	47½
Phil Rea	40½	42½	40½	41½
P Morris	16½	17½	16½	17½
Phps Dge	37½	38½	37½	37½
Pierce Ar	7½	7½	7½	7½
Pitt W Va	41½	42	41½	42
Prd Rfg	25	25½	24½	25½
Pub Sv N J	42½	42½	42½	42½
Pullman	119½	119½	118½	118½
Pure Oil	22½	22½	22½	22½
Ray Con	9½	10	9½	10
Reading	52½	53½	52½	52½
Rep I S	46	46½	46	46½
Rplgie	8½	8½	8½	8½
Rey Tob B	67	67½	67	67½
Rock Is	24½	25½	24½	24½
Ry Dh N Y	55½	55½	55½	55½
Sav Arms	49	49	48½	48½
Sears Roe	84½	84½	84	84
Shl Un Oil	17½	17½	17½	17½
Sinc Oil	20	20½	18½	19½
Skelly O	23½	23½	23½	23½
Sloss Shef	56	56½	56	56½
So Pac	88½	89½	88½	88½
So Rwy	53½	53½	53½	53½
S O Cal	57½	59½	57½	58½
S Oil N J	35½	36½	35½	36
S P R Sug	76	76	76	76
Stew War	67	67½	66½	67
Strmbg	63½	63½	63½	63½
Studbkr	36½	36½	35½	36½
do wi	34½	34½	34½	34½
St L Sa Fr	21	21½	21	21
St L Swst	37½	37½	37½	37½
Texas Co	41	41½	40½	40½
Tex Coal	9½	9½	9½	9½
Tex Gulf S	60	60	60	60
Tex Pac	30½	30½	29½	29½
Tob Prod	59	59½	58½	59
Tob Prod a	86½	87½	86½	87
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Trans Oil	4½	4½	4	4½
Un Pac	131	131	130½	130½
U S C I P	89½	90½	88½	89½
U S Rlty	99	99	99	99
U S I Alco	68½	69½	68½	68½
U S Rub	29½	29½	29	29
do 1st pfd	76	76½	76	76½
U S Steel	98½	99½	98½	98½
Utah Cop	68½	68½	68½	68½
Utah Sec	29½	30½	29½	29½
Vandm	22½	22½	22½	22½
Va Chem	1½	1½	1½	1½
V Viva	7½	8½	7½	8½
Wabash	16	16½	16	16½
do pfd a	45½	46	45½	45½
Westhse	56½	56½	56½	56½
West Un	105½	106	105½	106
White Mo	52½	52½	52½	52½
Willys-O	8½	8½	8½	8½
do pfd	67½	68½	67½	67½
Wolwrth	326	329	325	327½
do wi	83	82½	83	82

New York Produce.

Butter — Steady; receipts, 11,351; creamery, higher than extras, 38½@79; creamery, extras, 92 score, 38; do, firsts, 88 to 91 score, 37@37½; state dairy, finest, 37½; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 29.

Eggs — Steady; receipts, 41,395; fresh gathered, extra firsts, regular packed, 28½@26½; do, storage packed, 27@27½; fresh gathered, firsts, regular packed, 24½@26; do, storage packed, 25½@26½; fresh gathered, seconds and poorer, 23½@24; nearby hennery whites, closely selected, extras, 32@33; nearby and nearby western hennery whites, firsts to average extras, 27@31; nearby hennery browns, extras, 29@31.

Cheese — Steady; receipts, 271,343; state, whole milk, flats, fresh fancy, 16½@17½; do, average run, 16; state, whole milk, flats, held fancy to fancy specials, 24@25; do, average run, 22@23½.

New York Poultry.

Live poultry — Irregular; express, broilers, 35@55; fowls, 20; turkeys, 20@30.

Dressed poultry — Steady; chickens, 28@50; fowls, 26@35; old roosters, 20@26; turkeys, 26.

New York Meats.

Cattle — Receipts, 270; irregular; steers, $6.25@11.45; state bulls, $2.75@5.50; cows, $1.75@5.25.

Calves — Receipts, 1,570; steady; veals, $12.50@13; culls and little calves, $4@5; buttermilks and fed calves, $2.50@5.50.

Sheep and lambs — Receipts, 8,650; steady; sheep, $4.50@7.25; culls, $3@[illegible]; lambs, $[illegible]@[illegible]; culls, $[illegible]@10.

Hogs — Receipts, 1,320; steady; light to medium weights, $8@8.[illegible]; pigs, $7.25@7.40; heavy hogs, $7.60@7.80; roughs, $6.50@7.

Chicago Grain.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
May	104½	105	104½	104½
July	107	107½	105½	105½
Sept.	107½	107½	107½	107½
CORN—				
May	77½	78	75½	76½
July	78½	78½	77½	77½
OATS—				
May	47½	47½	46½	47½
July	44½	44½	44	44

ONEONTA MARKETS.

Grain and Feed at Retail.

Wheat bran	$1.70
Buckwheat, cwt.	2.75
Oats, per bu.	.65
Ground oats	2.65
Poultry grains	2.60
Gluten feed	2.30
Corn meal, cwt.	3.00
Cracked corn, cwt.	3.00
Corn, per bu., old	1.12
Table meal	2.20
Cotton seed meal	2.00
Corn and oats	2.00

All outstanding accounts due the Home Furnishing Co. must be paid at the office of L. J. Beckhorn, 15 Dietz street, before the 15th of May. After that date they will be turned over to our lawyer. The Home Furnishing Co. adv. 13t eod

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NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Pursuant to an order of Sheldon H. Chase, surrogate of the county of Otsego, notice is hereby given, according to law, to all persons having

BEFORE - AFTER

By NEA Service.

New York, May 7. — What is the price of broken dreams? Dreams of flowering beauty, of artistic achievement, of fame, of love—replaced by the realities of partial blindness, terrible disfiguration, blasted hopes of romance!

Helen Jesmer, once leading beauty of the Greenwich Village Follies, in great demand as an artist's model, places the value at half a million dollars and asks Phillip Morgan Plant, millionaire thus to compensate her.

An auto wreck that sent her hurtling from Plant's machine three years ago also wrecked her life, she holds. Before that, in the sun-up of her beauty, Plant had promised love and marriage, she says.

After, with a great scar under her right eye, with a cheekbone fractured —romance and opportunity were denied her.

BARSTOW ARRESTED AGAIN.

Man Well Known Locally Charged With Resisting Arrest.

George Barstow, arrested in Oneonta some weeks ago for violation of the prohibition laws, it being charged that he had sold liquor illegally, and who was released from the charge when arraigned in federal court at Syracuse a few days ago, was taken into custody Tuesday night for resisting arrest at the time of his former escapade. It is charged that he struck Officer Otto.

Barstow pleaded not guilty when arraigned before Judge VanWoert and asked for time in which to secure an attorney. The case was adjourned until Saturday morning at 8:30 o'clock and bail was fixed at $200. So far Barstow has been unable to secure the bail and is at present languishing in the city jail.

Laughable, If True.

It is reported that while examining prospective jurors to sit on the case tried yesterday at Cooperstown City Attorney Huntington asked one of them if he was familiar with the location where the accident occurred.

"I should say I was," came the prompt answer. Shortly after Mr. Huntington excused the juror. Later some one asked him what he knew about the spot and he replied, "I drove my rig against the same obstacle myself."

Old papers for shelves and floors, 10 cents per bundle of 50, at The Star office. tf

New Treatment For Varicose or Swollen Veins

Swollen veins are dangerous and often burst. Sufferers are advised to get a two-ounce, original bottle of Emerald Oil (full strength), at Slade's drug store, and start to reduce the veins and bunches at once.

Physicians recommend Emerald Oil; it is used in hospital practice and a small bottle will last a long time, because it is very concentrated and a little goes a long way. Apply night and morning with a soft brush as directed until the swelling is reduced to normal. It is guaranteed

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CHERRY TREES WEAKENED

Repeated Attacks of Leaf Spot Will Kill Cherries — Lime-Sulphur Spray Effective.

Geneva, May 7. — Every summer many cherry orchards throughout the state shed their leaves prematurely, due, according to the plant disease specialist at the experimental station here, to a disease known as the cherry leaf spot disease. The early loss of the leaves in this way, year after year, greatly weakens the trees and may eventually kill them, it is said. Cherry growers are urged to take a few simple precautions to protect their plantings from outbreaks of this disease.

Last year's fallen leaves will be the chief source of infection this season, says the station specialist, and the first step in controlling the disease is to plow under these leaves late in the fall or early in the spring. Whether or not the leaves were plowed under, the fruit grower will find it well worth while to take the necessary steps to check the disease this year.

Lime-Sulphur Spray Helps.

"Removing the chief source of infection by plowing under the leaves is the first step in the successful control of the cherry leaf spot disease," says this station authority. "Plans should be made, however, for following this up with lime-sulphur spray to be applied (1) just as the petals fall in the spring, (2) about ten days later, and (3) just before the fruit turns red. A fourth application is sometimes made to good advantage shortly after the fruit is harvested.

"Sweet and sour cherries are both susceptible to the disease, but care must be exercised in spraying sweet cherries as they are subject to burning with lime-sulphur. A mixture containing one gallon of standard strength lime-sulphur to 40 gallons of water will give best results with sour cherries, while for sweet cherries the proportion should be one gallon of lime-sulphur to 50 gallons of water."

Your thirst deserves to be quenched with the best. Drink Klipmokie orange pekoe tea and enjoy its delicious and refreshing qualities. advt 6t

STATE'S OLDEST CITIZEN

Mrs. Delina Filkins of Jordanville Observes 109th Birthday.

Mohawk, May 7. — Sunday, May 4, is the 109th birthday of Mrs. Delina Filkins who resides with her son, Frank Filkins at Jordanville. Mrs. Filkins is undoubtedly the oldest woman in the state. She is the daughter of William and Susan Harwick Ecker and her birthplace was a house built by her grandfather, John Ecker, over 200 years ago, located in the town of Stark. She has been the mother of six children of whom two sons are living, the one with whom she lives and Alonzo Filkins who resides in the town of Warren and is now 87 years of age.

She celebrated her 100th birthday by taking her first automobile ride with her great-niece's husband, Frank Harris, of Mohawk. She has never ridden either on a steam railroad or trolley car. After passing the century mark this venerable woman underwent a successful operation.

Mrs. Filkins is in good health and her memory is most remarkable. When asked to what she attributed her long life, she said living quietly, [illegible] and working hard.

J. H. STEFFEN MARRIED.

Former Oneonta Resident Weds Albany Woman.

John H. Steffen, conductor on Delaware & Hudson trains 302 and 305, and a former resident of Oneonta, and Mrs. Margaret Richtmyer of Albany were united in marriage at the home of the bride's mother at East Worcester at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Rev. J. C. Johnson officiating. Following the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Steffen left on a wedding trip which will include New York, Philadelphia and Washington, D. C. Upon their return they will be at home at 475 Delaware avenue, Albany.

The bride was until recently a popular attache of the Grace & Merritt Hat shop on North Pearl street, Albany. The groom was for many years a resident of Oneonta and has many friends here. Some time ago he moved to Cherry Valley and later to Albany, out of which city he, as a conductor, has a passenger run to Binghamton.

There will be many in Oneonta who will extend to Mr. and Mrs. Steffen very best wishes for a long and happy wedded life.

Layman Arrested for Assault.

Samuel Layman was arrested for assault in the third degree on the carnival grounds last evening, it being charged by Fred Jenks that Layman had struck him following an altercation. Layman was arrested by Deputy Sheriff Raymond Church and lodged in the city jail to await arraignment this morning before Justice of the Peace Shepherd.

Zaro Women Supreme, but Ugly.

The Zaro women of India are supreme. They woo the men, control the affairs of the home and the nation, transmit property, and leave the men little or nothing to do. The result is, says an eminent scientist who has investigated the race, that they are the ugliest women on earth.

An Unfriendly Slap.

The man who greets you with a slap on the back which almost dislocates your spine may be an acquaintance, but he's no friend.

Notice to Contractors.

The undersigned committee, representing Daniel Hopkins lodge, No. 1, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen will receive sealed bids until 6 p. m. May 10, 1924, for the erection of a wigwam in Neahwa park to house the canoose in which the organization was founded, same to be completed within four weeks from the date of signing contract.

Plans and specifications may be inspected at the store of L. D. Slade, 8 Broad street.

The committee reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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JURY PRESENTED LABORS

FOURTEEN INDICTMENTS FOUND BY GRAND JURY SITTING IN CONNECTION WITH SUPREME COURT.

Three Men Indicted for Driving Cars While Intoxicated, Three for Burglary in Third Degree, and One for Abandonment—No Cause of Action in Traver Suit Against City of Oneonta.

The grand jury sitting in connection with the May term of supreme court this afternoon completed their work and handed up ten open indictments and four sealed ones. The defendants were arraigned and the cases disposed of as follows.

William Utter, plead guilty to an indictment charging the operation of an automobile while intoxicated April 28, last, in the village of Schenevus, through his attorney, James P. Friery of that village. He was fined $50 and given a suspended sentence.

Howard VanPatten plead not guilty to a similar indictment and the case was sent to the county court for trial. He was represented by Clermonte G. Tennant of Cooperstown.

Charged with Station Robberies.

Allan Zwindle, against whom four separate indictments were brought, three of which charged burglary in the third degree and petty larceny, and the other third degree burglary only, entered a plea of guilty through his attorney, Frank C. Huntington of Oneonta, and was given a suspended sentence with instructions to go to work for his father on the home farm between Oneonta and Mt. Vision. The crimes consisted of breaking into the D. & H. stations at Schenevus, East Worcester and Maryland on the night of February 15, last, and one attempt at the Schenevus station on February 2.

He took a small quantity of money and other articles and caused some damage, the total of which was estimated as amounting to about $100. It was the order of the court that out of the $30 per month which his father, who was present, offered for his services, $20 monthly be paid until the full amount had been refunded.

Zwindle is a young man who had served a short time in the navy, having been discharged last January on account of physical incapacity, and he has not had a regular occupation since.

Frank E. Stickman pleaded guilty to an indictment charging abandonment of his one year old child last January. He was married in Oneonta but had been working in Albany, where he was laid off by the New York Central railroad and was apprehended in Chicago, where he said that he had gone in search of work.

Judge Hill instructed District Attorney Campbell to send $50 of the $60 he possessed to the wife who is with her parents in Windsor, and suspended sentence until tomorrow morning.

J. C. McGee, a boy of 17 years, indicted for burglary in the third degree and petty larceny for stealing six chickens and a rooster from Chauncey D. Umstead in the town of Worcester, plead guilty through his attorney, C. G. Tennant, and was given a suspended sentence, with instructions to go to work. [illegible] was committed last March.

Preston Miller, indicted on the same charge growing out of the same offense, through his attorney, Mr. Friery, plead not guilty and the case was referred to county court for trial. Bail was fixed at $500 and was furnished.

John R. Fish Indicted.

John R. Fish of South Hartwick, indicted for driving a motor vehicle while intoxicated, through Mr. Tennant plead not guilty and the case was sent to the county court for trial. Fish was arrested in the town of Oneonta May 3, following a collision in which his Ford car was completely wrecked and the Studebaker touring car of H. J. Emerick of Binghamton was considerably damaged.

No Cause for Traver Action.

The jury in the case of Carrie S. Traver as administratrix in the estate of Fred Traver, deceased, against the city of Oneonta to recover damages in the amount of $25,000 returned a verdict this afternoon of no cause for action. The case grew out of an accident which occurred August 22, 1923, when Fred Traver, a man 63 years of age, while returning home from work, tripped upon an iron pin which had been used to hold the frame for a section of form for a concrete sidewalk that had been built on Center street in Oneonta and fell to the ground.

As a result he fractured his hip and died September 30 of that year from the injury. These statements were admitted by both sides, but the defense established contributory negligence on the part of the decedent. It appeared from the testimony that he was in the habit of passing over this street while going to and from his work and was well acquainted with the unsettled condition which had existed there for two months preceeding while extensive repairs were in progress. The pin was five-eighths of an inch in diameter and protruded about four inches from the ground. The contention of the plaintiff was that in not removing it when the frame was taken away from the concrete, the city was guilty of negligence, as it formed a menace to pedestrians who, they contended, had a right to expect the sidewalk to be clear at that point, that the pin was rusty and covered with concrete so that it appeared about the color of the sidewalk was a point also emphasized by the plaintiff's counsel, C. C. Flersch, of Unadilla.

City Attorney F. C. Huntington represented the defense with Judge N. P. Willis of Albany as counsel.

Another Damage Suit Against City.

Late in the afternoon a jury was drawn in an action brought against the city of Oneonta by Dorothy E. Gould to recover damages for injuries received in an accident which took place as she was driving into town in an automobile. George L. Rocker of Oneonta appears for the plaintiff and George L. Gibbs of that city for the defendant.

PRINK OTSEGO COFFEE

LEE DIBBLE ARRESTED

Former Proprietor of River Street Garage Held for Theft of Binghamton Automobile.

Lee Dibble, at one time proprietor of a River street garage in this city, has been arrested by the Schenectady police department on a warrant issued in Binghamton in 1920, charging the theft of a Chevrolet touring car, belonging to Walter Gage of that city on August 28, 1920. It is also thought by the Binghamton authorities that Dibble was implicated in the theft of the Cole automobile of District Attorney Urbane C. Lyons of Binghamton, and doubtless Mr. Lyon will fully enjoy arraigning the man on the charge.

Lee is under arrest in Schenectady which is only [illegible] the bearing out of the adage that the arm of the law is a long one.

Automobiles came higher in 1920, as evidenced from the true bill, for the value of the Chevrolet is placed at $900. They are far below that today.

Lee was not in custody at the time the car was stolen, and so a sealed indictment was handed up. Notice from the Schenectady authorities that Lee was being held was the first word heard of him since the alleged theft.

Lee is believed to be the man who took the district attorney's automobile, though there is no indictment against him on that score. It is believed Mr. Lyons' car was brought to Oneonta where Dibble was conducting a garage at that time. At any rate, Mr. Lyons did not discover the whereabouts of his prized Cole until after he had given up all hopes and purchased another.

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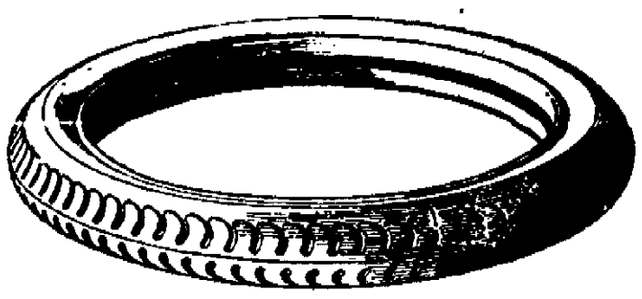

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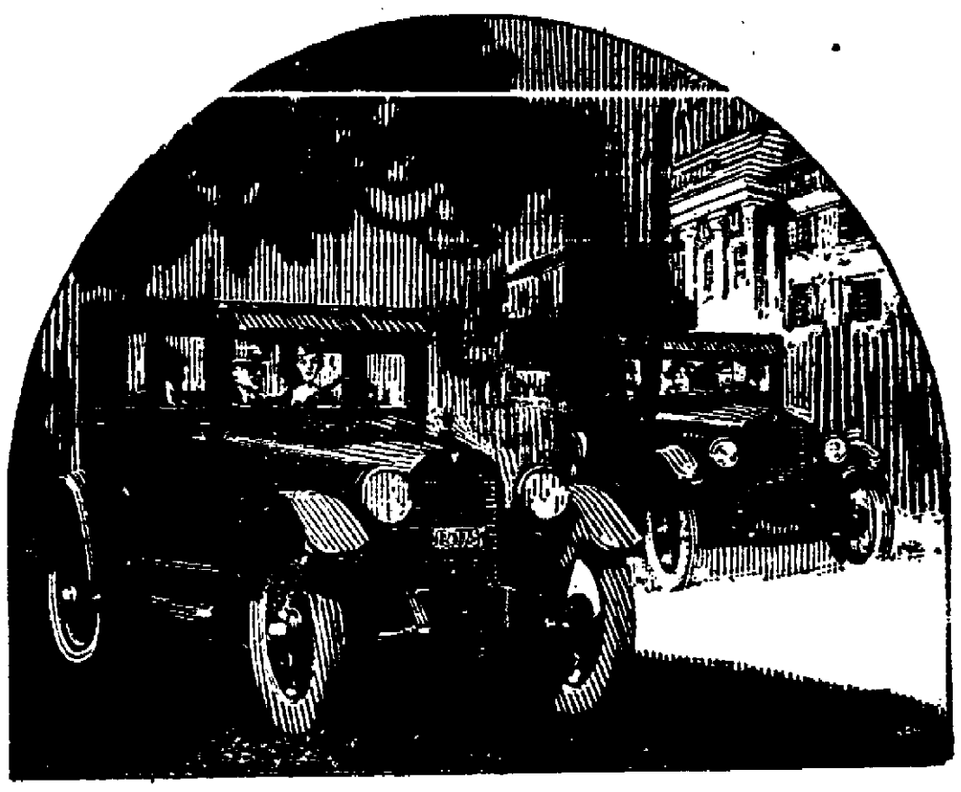

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